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THE REMAINS OF THE LATE MR. BLAINE

Wanted for Interment at His Old Home in Maine—A Hoosier Claim Disallowed—Princess Kaiulani at the White House.

Gold and Red Tape.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The treasury department continues to receive offers of gold from the west in exchange for small notes for which there is a present and increasing demand. Several of the offers of gold after they had been made had to be temporarily declined as it was found that the gold was of light weight, and until those who offered it made up the deficiency in weight the government could not accept.

In this connection it is interesting to note the absolute accuracy which the government requires before it will receipt for light-weight coin. Only a short time ago a consignment of gold was received at the treasury department from San Francisco. The gold came in heavy canvas bags and in an aggregate of $250,000 of gold it was found that it was nine cents light in weight. The cashier of the treasury had to make good the deficiency of nine cents, but the bags themselves were sent to the assay office at Philadelphia, and at an expense of probably a hundred times the amount of light weight the bags were burned; the gold was recovered from the bags by a smelting process and returned to the cashier, who in the end lost nothing.

The Remains of the Late James G. Blaine.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Acting under the terms of a resolution adopted by the legislature of Maine, Gov. Cleaves has written to Mrs. James G. Blaine requesting permission for the state officials to remove the remains of her late husband from Oak Hill cemetery, in this city, to Augusta, the capital city of Maine, and his home throughout his long and eminent career. At the time the resolution was adopted by the legislature it was understood the people of the state would provide a monument to mark Mr. Blaine's final resting place in case the effort to secure the removal of the remains was successful.

Mrs. Blaine returned last night from New York, and has not made any reply to the request of the governor. Whatever may be the decision reached in the matter, it is understood that it will not indicate a change of residence for Mrs. Blaine. She will continue to make her home in Washington, but desires to find a smaller and more retired house than the big red mansion she now occupies.

Princess Kaiulani Falls in Love With Our Frances.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—At 5:30 yesterday afternoon President and Mrs. Cleveland accorded a special reception to Princess Kaiulani, the meeting taking place in the blue parlor. The princess was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Davies, their daughter and a lady friend. The call was entirely of a social nature, and lasted probably a quarter of an hour. The visitors were charmed with the cordiality of the reception accorded them, the ladies being captivated by the pleasing manners of the wife of the president, and the princess said subsequently that Mrs. Cleveland was the only lady that she ever fell in love with.

During the day Mr. Davies, unaccompanied by the princess or any of his family, called on Secretary Gresham. This visit, like that to the White House, was purely a social one. Mr. Paul Newman, envoy of the queen, also called on Secretary Gresham during the afternoon.

A Hoosier Claim Disallowed.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The judgment of the court of claims dismissing the petition of the state of Indiana to recover from the United States $413,184, alleged to be due the state out of moneys received by the United States from the sales of public lands, within the state, was to-day affirmed by the United States supreme court in an opinion by Justice Gray. The claim arose under the act granting the state 5 per cent. of the proceeds of the sales of public lands within their borders.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(Extra Session.)

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Call as to withholding patents to public lands in Florida, was laid before the senate and was—at the suggestion of Mr. Gorman—permitted to remain on the table.

The resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Manderson, to confine the action of the senate of the session to executive business was laid before the senate, and was modified by Mr. Manderson so as to read:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the senate that at this extraordinary session of the senate business transacted shall be confined to the consideration of treaties and other executive matters and those requiring the action of the senate only.

Mr. Cockrell said he saw no occasion for the adoption of such a resolution.

Mr. Manderson disclaimed any contention that the senate when called in extraordinary session did not possess every power. His resolution was simply a declaration of the sense of the senate that it had better not consider legislative matters.

Mr. Cockrell expressed it as his judgment that the president could call the house in extraordinary session and that the house might pass appropriation bills or a tariff bill, and that the president might afterwards call the senate in extraordinary session and that the senate could then take up and act upon the bills passed by the house.

Mr. Teller reminded senators on his side of the chamber that a democratic executive had called the senate in extraordinary session, and suggested that it was rather unbecoming in them to interfere with the course of business. The responsibility of legislation did not rest on senators on his side of the chamber. If the other side did not want anything done he would be glad to have that policy made, and it would be very agreeable to him.

Mr. Gorman said that he had gone very carefully over the precedents, and that he had found the first considerable debate on the subject to have taken place in 1851. On that occasion Senator Seward, of New York, had offered a resolution which had been adopted and had ever since been practically the rule that had governed the senate. That resolution was: "That the senate is not restricted at this session to the consideration of matters properly executive, but that such consideration may be extended to all matters proper to be transacted by the senate without the co-operation of the house of representatives." Mr. Gorman suggested that the resolution and Mr. Hale's substitute for it should be withdrawn, and that unanimous consent should be given that the senate will not consider matters concerning the other house.

Objection was made by Mr. George, and the discussion went on for some time longer—the resolution finally going over without action.

Mr. Frye offered a resolution, which he explained and which was agreed to, rescinding so much of a resolution adopted in the senate on February 27 last as requires the secretary of war to suspend action in relation to the improvements in the harbors of Pennsylvania.

The senate then, at 1:05, adjourned until Wednesday next at noon.

ANTIOPTION IN ILLINOIS.

Kent's Bill to Prevent Gambling in Grain, Beef, Pork, Lard or Provisions.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A bill entitled "an act to prevent gambling in grain, beef, pork, lard or provisions by corporations, brokers or others," was introduced in the Illinois general assembly on February 7 by Representative William A. Kent of the eleventh district. So unobtrusive was the debut of the measure, which was referred to the committee on municipal corporations, that intelligence of its real import did not reach the Chicago board of trade until Saturday, when it created quite a stir.

Mr. Kent's bill defines "gambling" as the selling or buying on margins of any of the commodities now dealt in on the board. "It shall be unlawful," says the bill, "for any corporation, association or individual to buy or sell any grain, beef, pork lard or provisions, or to keep a place where such sales are made on margins or otherwise where no intention of receiving and paying for the property so bought or of delivering the property so bought or sold, is made then and there apparent as a part of the transaction."

Should the bill become a law the board of trade will have to close its doors and several thousand people who now find occupation and profit within its walls will be compeled to find other pursuits in life.

SPREADING FLAMES.

Destructive Prairie Fire in Western Rooks County, Kan.

PLAINFIELD, Kan., March 14.—A fire started yesterday in Western Rooks county and was driven by a furious northeast wind. Nearly everything was swept away in the path of the fire, which was several miles wide. The town of Pallio was burned except three buildings. The total loss is about $8,000.

Sylvester Scannon and Oscar Lilly, farmers near Ambrey, were caught by the fire. The former's clothing was burned entirely off, and he will die. The latter will recover.

The buildings of Sam Wise, farmer, were burned, with their contents. The loss is heavy. The Bophris school house, southwest of Plainville, was also burned. The fire ran southwest across the Saline river, and much damage was done to stock, feed and buildings.

The Chicago Switchmen Accept the Situation Gracefully.

CHICAGO, March 14.—Vice Grand Master Downey of the Switchmen's association yesterday presented to the general managers of the roads running into this city the official declaration of the switchmen accepting the answer of the general managers refusing an increase of pay, and stating that no further action would be taken in the matter by the switchmen without sufficient notice being given to everybody concerned.

"I do not anticipate a strike," said Mr. Downey after he had delivered the document. "One could not be declared inside of six weeks were we so disposed. Perhaps after the fair is over and the records show that the railroads have had a particularly prosperous time the switchmen may ask for more pay. Public matters of great importance being then out of the way the general managers will be in a place to do business with the switchmen."

The Cherokee Strip Boomers Make a Discovery.

GUTHRIE, Okla., March 14.—The Cherokee strip agitators have just discovered that should the Cherokee senate decide not to accept the terms of the strip bill passed by congress that the strip cannot be opened by the president. This has caused a great commotion among them, and a delegation will at once go to to Talequah to work with the Indian council.

For several days a number of cattlemen who have had cattle on the strip for years have been in conference here, and it is believed they are planning to defeat the ratification of the bill by the Cherokees and thus secure the strip for pasturage for another term of years. There is considerable excitement over the matter, and the boomers declare that should the bill be rejected by the Indians they will move on the strip in a body and stay there and shoot every steer brought in.

The McKinley Fund.

COLUMBUS, O., March 14.—Gov. McKinley said yesterday morning, when asked about the report sent out from Chicago that the subscriptions to his trustees in his behalf were sufficient to discharge his entire liability in the Walker failure, that he knew nothing about it. He seemed very much annoyed by the publication, and was not inclined to be interviewed concerning it.

Fatal Explosion of a Locomotive.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 14.—Locomotive No. 320 of the Philadelphia, Reading & New England railway, exploded at St. Elmo, N. Y., ten miles west of Poughkeepsie bridge, yesterday morning. George A. Shufeldt, fireman, and Horace Timberly, brakeman, were instantly killed, and the engineer, James Flannigan, was frightfully injured.

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BOURGEOIS' DEFENSE

Mme. Cottu's Testimony in the Assize Court

CREATES A BIG STIR IN THE CHAMBER.

The Minister of Justice, Having Resigned, Defends Himself Against the Witness' Charges and the Boulangist Onslaught.

PARIS, March 14.—An hour before the opening of the chamber of deputies yesterday an excited crowd had gathered at the Palais Bourbon. When the proceedings began the strangers' galleries were full, and hardly a place on the floor of the house was vacant. The absence of M. Bourgeois, ex-minister of justice, who was defending himself on the witness stand at the assize court, delayed the attack which the Boulangists and royalists were ready to make upon the government. Nobody, however, left the chamber. All sat there patient and expectant, awaiting the coming of the fallen minister from the court room.

Eventually M. Bourgeois entered the chamber and took his seat, a short distance from the ministerial bench. The business in hand was speedily finished and Armand Despres, republican deputy for the Seine, made the interpellation of which he had already given notice concerning the government's knowledge of M. Souinary's interview with Mme. Cottu. The testimony given by Mme. Cottu he said had shaken the whole republican party. It indicated that things had been concealed which should not have happened, or if they had happened should have been brought to light at once by those in power. The enemies of the republic had found in Mme. Cottu's testimony excuse for accusing the government of smothering the investigation of the Panama scandal when possible and when not possible to utilize it for political purposes. The necessity for a frank statement was apparent to all. Had not the government instructed M. Souinary in his course with Mme. Cottu.

M. Cavanac, deputy for the Satche, was received with cheers as he entered the speaker's tribune. He defined briefly the peculiar position into which the government had been brought by Mme. Cottu's testimony, and exhorted the ministers, as they valued the prosperity of the republic, to speak out fearlessly the whole truth. If the charges made by Mme. Cottu were true, he said, then the sooner the truth was told the better, for the possibility for such things as those related on Saturday in the court of assizes would betray a state of affairs too abominable to be endured.

When M. Bourgeois, pale, though self-possessed, walked to the speaker's tribune, the hush of anxiety was almost painful. He began huskily, but quickly cleared his throat and shouted: "Those charges are absolutely false. I have been in court, and have answered everything. I now have the right to hold up my head. There is nobody to gainsay it."

After the applause and cheers subsided M. Bourgeois repeated much of the statement which he had just made in court.

M. Ribot said that M. Bourgeois had vindicated his own honor. He himself would now vindicate the honor of the government. The story by M. Cottu, he said, when not false was distorted.

M. Loubet had told the premier that M. Souinary had been requested by an intermediary to grant an interview to Mme. Cottu.

M. Souinary had understood that M. Cottu wished merely to ask that she might be allowed to see her husband.

M. Loubet had authorized M. Souinary to receive her, supposing that she had no other business in view than arranging to visit M. Cottu. Recently Mme. Cottu had requested that she be allowed to have an interview with the prefect of police. Was this another subterfuge? Did this woman wish to lay a trap for the prefect?

A storm of protestations of "Shame!" and "Falsehood!" from the Boulangists and royalists rendered inaudible the premier's words. The Boulangist deputy Millevye, shaking his fist at M. Ribot, shouted: "Is that French honor? I refuse to listen to such calumnies against a woman. Your action is a disgrace to the French tribunal and shames yourself."

During the applause and cheers following this outbreak several other Boulangists rose and pointed to the premier, and called to him to take back his words. M. Ribot waited patiently until the disorder was over, and said he would be remiss in no duty. Perhaps if the government had not lent itself to so many compromises it would not now have so many enemies. It had devoted itself earnestly and honestly to the best interests of the republic which was now being assailed. The republican party must remember that attacks now directed against the government were intended to shake republican institutions in France, and men who caused the disruption which had been twenty years in maturing ought to rally in all loyalty to the ministry's support. This spectacle had lasted long enough, and it was the government's duty to cease temporizing and strike at its roots.

Forquery de Boisserin, amid repeated interruptions from the right, said that Mme. Cottu's statement was undoubtedly part of a plot against the government.

Augustav Rivet, republican deputy for the Lesere, moved that the chamber, in the determination, let justice take its course and bring the truth forth to prove the declaration of the ministry.

This motion was accepted by M. Ribot, and was passed by a vote of 297 to 226.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Lynn, Mass., suffered from a $100,000 fire yesterday.

—Mr. Gladstone went to bed yesterday with a slight cold.

—The flood in the Hudson river is highes than since 1863.

—No decision was given in the Carlyle W. Harris case yesterday.

—No nominations were sent to the senate by the president yesterday.

—The vice-president has appointed W. S. Daniels his stenographer.

—A severe snowstorm from the northwest raged in Wisconsin yesterday.

—The water in the Grand river in Michigan is the highest for thirty years.

The boycott on the Ann Arbor road was lifted, yesterday, pending a conference.

—Harry Kernell, the comedian, is dying at the Bloomingdale (N. J.) asylum.

—Ex-President Harrison is duck hunting at Havana, Ill., in company with Col. Boyd.

—Ice gorges and resulting floods are doing vast damage to towns along the Mohawk river.

—Since his return from Washington Gen. Harrison's health and spirits have been excellent.

—The supposed murderer of Mary Montgomery, of Pullman, Ill., is under arrest at Sheridan, Ind.

—A howling blizzard, succeeding warm, springlike weather, was reported from Michigan yesterday.

—Princess Kaiulani and suite attended services at the Episcopal church in Washington twice on Sunday.

—Justice Jackson was yesterday assigned to duty on the circuit over which the late Justice Lamar presided.

—The second reading of the Irish home-rule bill in the British parliament will be postponed until after Easter.

—First Comptroller Matthews yesterday "construed" $10,000 from the World's fair appropriation for the department board.

—The democratic senate caucus committee on committees met again yesterday immediately after the adjournment of the senate.

—Serafino Delcario, an Italian murderer confined in the jail at Marshall, Mich., committed suicide by hanging in his cell, Sunday night.

—Secretary Carlisle yesterday dismissed ten temporary clerks from the second auditor's office, owing to the exhaustion of the appropriation.

—All danger from the flood at Port Deposit, Md., is averted. The water is receding from the streets, and the people are returning to their homes.

—W. H. Taylor, a negro barber of St. Louis, shot and killed Tobe Carlisle, a colored railroad porter, whom he suspected of adultery with his wife.

—China is preparing to fight for her possessions in the Pamir for the cession of which to Russia the late Chinese minister to St. Petersburgh is to be executed.

—A heavy snowstorm, with violent wind, prevailed, yesterday, throughout the northwest, including Montana, North and South Dakota, Minneapolis and Wisconsin.

—By an explosion of mine gas in the Whitesell mine near Perryapolis, Pa., yesterday, ten men were injured, six of them so seriously that their recovery is doubtful.

—Daniel Nelson, once a member of the German emperor's body guard, and a veteran of the Mexican war, suicided at his home in Fresh-Pond, N. Y., Saturday night.

—The Atkinson House-Furnishing Co. of Boston, with fourteen branch houses in other New England cities, assigned yesterday, with liabilities placed at $1,600,000 and $3,000,000 assets.

—The plant of the Sheridan White Sand Co., located at Sheridan, Ill., was entirely destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The loss is estimated at $35,000; insurance, $8,500.

—In answer to a question by Congressman Dockery, of Missouri, Mr. Cleveland yesterday denied the report that he proposed to discriminate against newspaper men in the distribution of offices.

—The appeal and petition for a special allocatur in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Hugh Dempsey, the convicted Homestead poisoner, has been filed in the supreme court of Pennsylvania.

—Joseph Esserb, 36 years old, yesterday shot and seriously injured Annie Shea, aged 28, an inmate of a Detroit (Mich.) house of ill-fame. He then placed the revolver to his right ear and blew his brains out. The girl may recover.

—The young woman who registered at the Coleman house in New York, Saturday evening as "Mrs. F. Carter, St. Louis," and suicided Sunday by drinking laudanum, was yesterday identified as Miss Leonide Cozzens, 18 years old, of New York city.

—The United States supreme court yesterday decided the letter-carrier eight-hour cases in favor of the carriers, who can recover for overtime for work in the office or on their routes, for any particular day, regardless of less time put in on Sundays or other days.

THE ANN ARBOR STRIKE ENDED.

A Decree of the Federal Court Too Strong for the Brotherhood.

TOLEDO, O., March 13.—It is apparent to-night that the strike has fallen through and that the difficulty will be satisfactory adjusted within the next twenty-four hours. Chief Arthur arrived here early this morning, and with his assistant, Youngson, and Chief Sargent has been in conference all day with the strikers and Railroad Commissioner Kirby.

After learning what concessions the brotherhood were willing to make to the Ann Arbor road, Mr. Kirby consulted J. M. Ashley, the president of the road, and, after a lengthy interview, gave out that the men will return to work to-morrow, not stating, however, on what terms the settlement would be made.

The Ann Arbor brought in some freight to-day for the Lake Shore, which was received as usual, but on account of the washouts up the line the traffic has been light. The sudden retrogression of the brotherhood is attributed to the order issued by the federal court at Cleveland on Saturday, obliging all railroads and employes thereof to receive and convey freight from the Ann Arbor road.

To Impeach Nebraska State Officers.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 14.—Representative Irwin, of Platte county, a populist member of the legislature, is credited with having prepared a resolution for introduction in the house at the earliest opportunity providing for the appointment of a committee to draft articles of impeachment against the different state officers comprising the board of public lands and buildings. The resolution is the outgrowth of scandals affecting the management of the penitentiary and other state institutions which come under the supervision of the board. Representative Irwin has taken an active part in pushing the work of investigation now in progress by the legislative committee.

Two Telegraph Linemen Drowned.

LOCKHAVEN, Pa., March 14.—John Joyce, of Braddock, Pa., and John Maroney, of Pine station, this county, were drowned in the river a short distance west of this city yesterday. They were telegraph linemen and engaged in stringing a wire across the river when the boat upset.

Mothers' Recommendation.

We are acquainted with many mothers in Centerville who would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house for a good many times its cost, and are recommending it every day. From personal experience we can say that it has broken up bad colds for our children.—Centerville, South Dakota, Citizen. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

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SUDDEN VENGEANCE.

Shot His Father's Assassin in Open Court.

SEQUEL TO A COLD-BLOODED MURDER

Committed at Hermitage (Tenn.) Toll Gate, Two Months Ago, by the Winters Brothers—Fatal Result of a Game of Bluff.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 14.—At 1 o'clock yesterday, in the court room Tom Jones shot and mortally wounded Joe Winters, who was on trial for the murder of Jones' father.

Two shots intended for Winters struck John Thorp in the throat and shoulder, seriously, if not fatally, wounding him.

Winters and a brother assaulted Jones' father at the Hermitage toll gate at midnight some two months ago, calling him to his door and shooting him dead. The Winters were being tried yesterday, and, being desperadoes, had their gang here to back them. The quarrel was forced on young Jones by Winters, who tried to bluff him from testifying. The court was in session at the time, and Jones gave himself up to Judge Anderson. Three shots struck Winters. The greatest excitement prevailed.

THE FLOOD AT GRAND RAPIDS.

The River Still Rising and Spreading Devastation Everywhere.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 13.—The Grand river is rising at the rate of two inches an hour to-night, and at 11 o'clock was 18 feet 8 inches above low-water mark. The major portion of South Grand Rapids, which is built on the flats, is inundated, and persons were removed from the houses in boats. At this point the river is a mile wide, and the loss will be heavy, falling on the poor Hollanders employed in the furniture factories. Efforts are being made to save the Chicago & West Michigan bridge, a gang of men working all day to anchor it. The flood finally cut through the Chicago & West Michigan roadbed, and there is now six feet of water in Gunnison swamp.

A portion of the city is in total darkness to-night. The electric plant is partially submerged, and will be forced to cut off all power on the system.

The Canal-street gravel road is submerged in spots and North park is wholly under water. Comstock park, the finest racing grounds in the state, and one of the finest tracks in the country, is inundated. In the stables the water reaches the manger.

All the factories at the north end report heavy losses of logs and lumber. On South Waterloo street the inmates of the dives were forced to vacate when the water flooded the first story. The old Ada toll-bridge, one of the oldest structures across Grand river, went out this morning. Many merchants report flooded basements, and to-night gangs of men and teams are working to save the stocks. Report has just reached here that the North Park railroad bridge, three miles above the city, has gone out. If this is true it will take the Canal-street toll bridge. A heavy rain is falling and grave fears are felt as an ice jam is reported twelve miles down the river.

THE FLOOD IN THE GRAND

Reaches Its Highest Point at Ionia—Rising at Grand Rapids.

IONIA, Mich., March 13.—It is now believed that the water has reached its highest point at this place. Forty families have been driven out of their homes on the flats. Trains are now making regular time, though with much difficulty. The break in the Detroit, Lansing & Northern track at Portland has been repaired.

The ice gorge above Muir has slowly gone to pieces and passed down stream. The water at Muir has fallen fifteen inches and is still going down.

A dispatch from Grand Haven, near the mouth of Grand river, says the river there is rapidly rising and dock owners are preparing for a flood. The river is clear at the mouth, but large fields of ice are coming down.

A farmhouse, near Nortonville was washed away and its occupants narrowly escaped with their lives.

Won His Suit Against His Daughter, the Countess.

DENVER, Col., March 14.—The claims of John Shevnin against the estate of his daughter, Countess Cassell, for $78,000, was allowed by the jury in the county court yesterday morning. The claim is for managing the large estate, amounting to $500,000, for the past twelve years. Miss Shevnin went to Europe, remaining there several years, and marrying Count Cassell. For about twelve years Mr. Shevnin had charge of his daughter's property in Denver, which is now valued at about $600,000. Some of the testimony was to the effect that the countess had agreed to give her father one-half of the increase in the value. Some of this property is located in the best part of the city.

Crushed to Death Under a Falling Building.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A portion of the wall of an old building in course of reconstruction, at 71 and 73 Twenty-second street, fell down yesterday afternoon, crushing A. C. Briggs, a carpenter, to death. Contractor A. B. Burchard and his stepson, who had secured a building permit, were arrested.

A New Form of Prohibitory Tariff.

CITY OF MEXICO, March 14.—Although President Diaz decrees the free importation of maize and beans for an indefinite period, the high railway rates it is said will check importation.

The Tennessee Breeders' Inaugural Sale.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 14.—The Tennessee breeders' inaugural sale began yesterday. Seventy-three animals were disposed of for $10,719. None brought as much as $500.

FOR SALE—Five lots in Riverside, in blocks 5 and 6 will trade for Kansas land. Inquire of E. THOMPSON, 217 E. Marietta St. mi4-d4w*

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Cyrus B. Prescott, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Cyrus B. Prescott, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the May term, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1893.

ALLEN T. WHITZEL,
Administrator.

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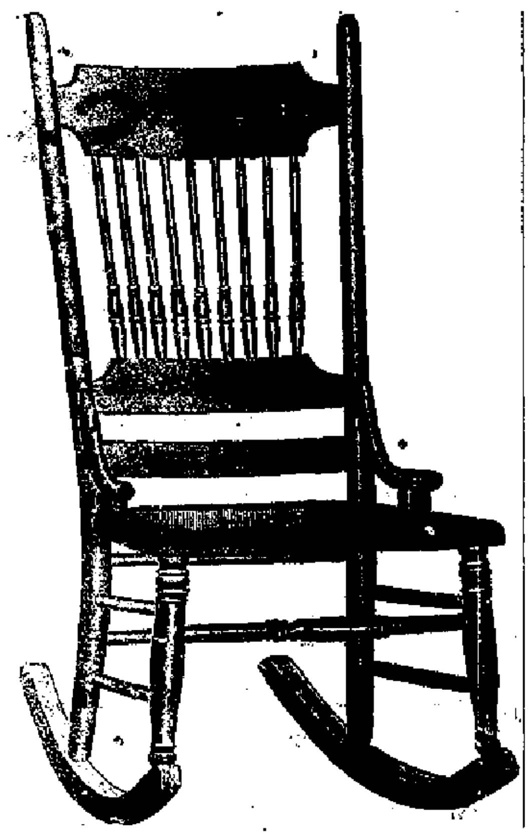

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TUESDAY EVE., MAR. 14, 1893.

IT will become the duty of Editor Hoke Smith as secretary of the interior to refuse men office because they are editors.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND, having received all the service he desires from Democratic newspapers, has proceeded to make political eunuchs of the whole lot.

THE appointment of Senator Voorhees to the chairmanship of the senate finance committee and ex-Governor Gray to the Mexican mission are sure to become notorious. The former was never accused of knowing anything about finances and was never able to manage his own financial affairs to the satisfaction of his creditors, and the latter it is said never had the ability while governor of his state to write his own state papers.

A DEMOCRATIC paper says the suggestion made by Secretary Gresham, that the Hawaiians should be allowed to vote on the question of annexation, is a good one. That may be, but we would like to know whether, in the opinion of Mr. Gresham, the Hawaiians can vote for annexation "without becoming Democrats." If they can do so, they are on the same high plane Gresham is, and the Democratic kick against annexation should promptly stop.

THE St. Louis *Post-Dispatch* (Dem.) says: "The principal use of state legislatures seems to vote privileges to corporations and protect them from popular indignation." Yet the same paper, with all those in its class, are howling themselves hoarse over what they call the encroachment of congress and the national administration upon the rights of states in matters of legislation. The truth is that the rights of the people are always safer in the hands of congress than in the hands of the average state legislature.

CARTER H. HARRISON will never be defeated for mayor of Chicago by any such makeup as an independent or people's ticket. Put that down. The only chance to defeat him is to put a clean business Republican ticket in the field, and ask those who are independently inclined to take their choice between Carter Harrison and the gang and the Republican ticket. Those who fear Carter and his gang would not hesitate to support a clean Republican ticket. If they could not be induced to do this for self-protection, they could not be depended upon to support an independent ticket unless it was headed by a Democrat; and in that case thousands of Republicans would not vote it.

ON President Cleveland's theory that because the Democratic press charged President Harrison with an attempt to subsidize the press by the appointment of Whitelaw Reid and other newspaper men to office, therefore he would lay himself open to the same charge, would be just as applicable to Democratic leaders who got their one from the Democratic press and repeated the allegation. Mr. Cleveland also lays himself open to a similar charge by appointing those to office who charged that President Harrison favored the robbery of the people by advocating a protective tariff, and who are now opposed to carrying out the provisions of the Democratic party platform as to free trade, and is himself guilty of refusing the people relief by failing to call an extra session of congress to repeal the protective tariff laws.

A Parallel.

The voluntary appearance at Caddo, I. T., on Friday, of Charles Loring, a Choctaw Indian, who was condemned to death by shooting by the court, has brought out the following statement as to a peculiar characteristic of the Choctaw Indians:

"Full-blooded Choctaws convicted of murder are never restrained of their liberty between the date of conviction and the date of execution. They are released on parole and there has not been a day since Loring was convicted that he could not have left the country. There is only one case on record where a condemned man did violate his parole. Jackson Fletcher was convicted of murder in the first degree fifteen months ago, and on the day of execution he did not show up. His name is cursed in every household in the Choctaw Nation to-day, and his relatives consider themselves disgraced by him."

This is certainly a remarkable trait of character in the Choctaw Indians and has but one parallel. Strange as it may seem that parallel is furnished by the Democratic party. Since the days of Andrew Jackson no full-blooded Democrat elected to the office of President of the United States has failed to appoint nothing but full-blooded, yard-wide Democrats to office. This has been done without placing any sort of espionage over his movements at any time during his official period. As in the case of the Choctaws, where there was but one man who violated this confidence, and because he did so was cursed in every Choctaw household, so in the Democratic party there is but one man—President Cleveland—who has violated the trust reposed in him by his party. He, like the Choctaw, who let precedent and tribal obligation go and looked out for himself, has had his "picture turned toward the wall" in many a Democratic home.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, March 13, 1893.

One of the most difficult roles ever attempted by a public man is that of setting himself up as being better than his party. This the friends of Mr. Cleveland have persistently done for him ever since his entrance into national politics, and the claims of his worshipers about his having refused to make one single promise during the last campaign have been louder than ever since his last inauguration. Well, the idol has been shattered, and in view of the whole world. One of the most prominent nominations to office he has made—ex-Gov. Gray, of Indiana, to be minister to Mexico—was the result of a bargain made at the Chicago convention, not, it is true, by Mr. Cleveland in person, but by his personal representative in that convention, Hon. W. C. Whitney, of New York. The terms of this bargain were that Gov. Gray was to withdraw as a presidential candidate and throw the Indiana delegation to Mr. Cleveland; and in return was either to have a place in the cabinet or a first-class foreign mission, if Cleveland was nominated and elected. That bargain has now been carried out by Mr. Cleveland, just as any other politician would have carried it out, and it is time there was a cessation of the talk about his being better than his party.

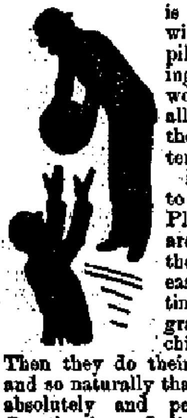
Those close to the administration say that the withdrawal of the Hawaiian annexation treaty from the senate does not indicate that Mr. Cleveland is opposed to annexation. They say that he thinks a more satisfactory treaty can be negotiated, and they predict that the new treaty will be negotiated and sent to the senate before the present extra session comes to a close. In other words, if these gentlemen be correct in their statements, the principal objection to the treaty was that it was negotiated by a Republican, instead of a Democratic administration.

The Democrats may not be inclined to favor the makers of "moonshine" whisky, but official figures show that Mr. Cleveland's first administration collected $51,095,682.04 less from internal revenue than the administration of President Arthur did, and $115,385,524.79 less than was collected during President Harrison's administration. This was a little queer, wasn't it?

Representative Henderson, of Iowa, predicts that the Fifty-second Congress will go down to posterity as "the know-nothing and do-nothing congress," and indications are plenty that the Fifty-third Congress, which will be controlled by Democrats in both branches, will rival if not surpass it in knowing nothing and and doing nothing.

There has been a red-hot though not a public fight over the re-organization of the senate. It is not entirely over yet, but it has gone far enough to show that Mr. Cleveland has been defeated in his attempt to have the committee on finance made up in the interest of his own financial ideas and against silver. Senator Vorhees, a pronounced silver man, will be its chairman, and a majority of its members will be silver men.

THE GETTING IT DOWN



is bad enough, with the ordinary pill. But the having it down is worse. And, after all the disturbance, there's only a little temporary good.

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They're *guaranteed* to give satisfaction, your money is returned.

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WHILE Queen Victoria is in Venice she will stay at the Rezzonico Palace, on the Grand Canal. This palace, which is an immense building, is owned by Barrett Browning. Robert Browning died there. It is the only Venetian private residence that has an elevator.

Do You Know It.

A common cough is the most dangerous thing in the world to neglect; a slight hacking cough is also very dangerous, as it always leads to Bronchitis and Consumption. Don't neglect them. In selecting a remedy for coughs, colds and Bronchitis, be sure and get one that is not full of Opium and one that will not produce Constipation. Ballard's Horehound Syrup does not constipate, remember this. It is perfectly harmless for children, and it's the most soothing and healing Throat and Lung medicine in the world. It cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs, tickling in the throat and greatly strengthens the Lungs after Pneumonia. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4d&w

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LADY HENRY SOMERSET, who is going to start a paper which is to be the organ of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, says she will call it the *Herald*, that being the best name for a paper, in her estimation.

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The world is better because of such a remedy as Ballard's Snow Liniment, because this article relieves it of much pain and misery, and thus we are enabled to enjoy its bright side. It positively cures all forms of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, Sick Headache, Lame Back, all Sores and Wounds, Cuts, Sprains, Bruises, Stiff Joints, Contracted Muscles, Poison, Eruptions, Corns, Weak Back, and all pain and inflammation on man or beast. Its the best because its the most penetrating. Beware of all white Liniments, which may be palmed off on you for Ballard's Snow Liniment. There is none like it. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4-d&w

A CHICAGO man advocates the building of a fifty story apartment house, to be called the "Interstellar," as the crowning achievement of the World's Fair year.

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FOR THE STATE ENCAMPMENT G. A. R. and Women's Relief Corps, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets from all stations in Illinois to Springfield and return at one and one-third fare. Tickets will be sold March 13, 14 and 15, good returning up to and including March 18. For any information desired, write or apply to C. A. POLLOCK, P. & T. A. Wabash R. R. Decatur, Ill. m9-1w

Notice to the Legal Voters of Decatur Township, Macon County, State of Illinois.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
MACON COUNTY, } ss.
Town of Decatur. }

The legal voters of the town of Decatur, Macon county, and state of Illinois, will take notice and they are by the corporate authorities and officers of said town hereby notified that on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1893, a petition of ten legal voters of said town of Decatur, resident therein, was presented to the said corporate authorities and officers of the said town of Decatur which petition is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

To H. F. May, supervisor, John Nicholls, town clerk, and William L. Hammer, justice of the peace, of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois:

WHEREAS, On the 25th day of September, A. D., 1873, the corporate authorities of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois, did issue $25,000 in bonds bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, due in twenty years from date, which said bonds were issued to the Decatur & Monticello Railroad company, and

WHEREAS, The said bonds become due and payable on the 25th of September, A. D. 1893, and

WHEREAS, It is desirable to have said bonded indebtedness refunded at a lower rate of interest.

Now therefore, we, the undersigned, legal voters of said township, and resident therein, do hereby petition you to submit to the voters of said township at the general annual township election to be held on the first Tuesday of April, 1893, the question of issuing bonds to refund the said outstanding bonds as provided by Chapter 113 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act to Enable Counties, Cities, Towns, Townships, School Districts, and Other Municipal Corporations to Fund, Retire and Purchase Their Outstanding Bonds, or Other Evidence of Indebtedness, and to Provide for Registration of New Bonds or Other Evidences of Indebtedness, in the Office of the Auditor of Public Accounts." Approved and in force February 16th, 1865.

I. R. Mills.	O. O. Shockley.
A. H. Mills.	C. L. Griswold.
E. R. Gibson.	I. W. Burman
G. M. Wood.	Harry Mildiff.
W. F. Calhoun.	Jerry Donahue.
H. K. Hamsher.	C. L. Jones.
J. J. H. Young.	J. M. Clark.

Now, therefore, the said legal voters of said town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, will further take notice, and they are by the said corporate authorities of the said town of Decatur hereby further notified that in pursuance of the terms, conditions and prayers of the said petition, and as provided by chapter 113 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois, entitled "An act to enable counties, cities, towns, townships, school districts, and other municipal corporations to fund, retire and purchase their outstanding bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, and to provide for registration of new bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts." Approved and in force February 16, 1865.

That the question of issuing the bonds as set forth in the said petition and statements in writing, will be submitted to the said legal voters of the said town of Decatur at the general annual township election, to be held on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893, at the several voting precincts in said town.

That the number of bonds proposed to be issued is fifteen. That the bonds to be issued shall be of the third class as designated by said act and to consist of a graduated series, the first grade to consist of six bonds of one thousand dollars ($1,000) each, and numbered from one to six, inclusive; bond No 1 due in one year from date of issue; No. 2 in two years from date of issue, and thus through the grade. The second grade to consist of eight bonds of two thousand dollars each, numbered from seven to fourteen, inclusive; No. 7 due at the end of seven years from the date of issue; No. 8 at the end of eight years, and thus to the end of the grade. The third grade to consist of one bond of three thousand dollars, numbered fifteen, due at the end of 15 years from the date of issue, said above mentioned bonds to bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, interest payable semi-annually, on the 15th of January and July of each year, and to be payable at the agency of the State Treasurer of the State of Illinois, in the City of New York, and at the times specified in this notice, and to be of the class as provided by law and as so specified in this notice, and to be issued for the purpose of funding the bonds heretofore issued by the said town of Decatur to the Decatur and Monticello Railroad Company.

H. F. MAY, Supervisor.
JOHN NICHOLLS, Town Clerk.
W. H. SHORB,
WM. L. HAMMER,
A. C. STEVENS,
Justices of the Peace.

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REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION.

A Republican City Convention will be held at the new Court House in Decatur on

Friday, March 24, 1893,

at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices: Mayor, City Clerk, City Attorney, and City Treasurer, to be voted for at the City Election, to be held on Tuesday, April 18, 1893, and also to elect a City Central Committee. The ward representation in said Convention will be one delegate for every 20 votes cast for W. B. Chambers for Mayor in 1891 and one for each fraction of 10 votes and over, and will be as follows:

1st Ward	12 Delegates
2d "	17 "
3d "	19 "
4th "	9 "
5th "	9 "
6th "	7 "
7th "	14 "
Total	87 Delegates.

By order of the Decatur City Central Committee.

F. L. HAYS, Chairman.
W. F. CALHOUN, Secretary.

The Republicans of the several wards of the city of Decatur are requested to meet on Thursday evening, March 23, 1893, at 7:30 o'clock, at the places hereinafter designated, for the purpose of selecting the number of delegates each ward is entitled to in the City Convention to be held in the new court house Tuesday evening, April 18, 1893, at 7:30 o'clock; and also to place in nomination one candidate for Alderman in each ward, to be voted for at said city election. The places for the ward conventions are as follows:

1st Ward—Street car barn.
2d Ward—Council chamber.
3d Ward—Doake's wagon yard, West Wood street.
4th Ward—J. M. Clokey's office.
5th Ward—Craft's Bottling Works, East Eldorado street.
6th Ward—Andrews' grocery store, corner Warren and Edmond streets.
7th Ward—Hendricks' shop.

By order Decatur City Ward Committeemen of City Central Committee.

1st ward—C. M. LYTLE.
2d Ward—H. W. BARTHOLOMEW.
3d Ward—HARRY MILDIFF.
4th Ward—ADAM SHEFORTH.
5th Ward—ED. WILLS.
6th Ward—P. J. DEMPSEY.
7th Ward—GEO. F. BELL.

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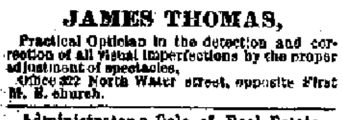

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of an order issued from the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to sell real estate to pay debts, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Casper Burg, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, at the hour of 10 a. m., on Saturday, April 1, 1893, the following described premises to-wit: Lot seventeen of block one, in James A. Steele's addition to Macon, Macon county, Illinois. Terms cash. Sale of said premises being in fee absolute, subject to the approval of said county court.

Dated at Macon, Ill., this 2th day of February, 1893.

HIRAM A. KITCH,
Administrator.

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FOR SALE—A four-room house on West Packard street and a lot on North Church street. Enquire soon of Ben Nighswander at 704 West Packard St. mar16-d1w*

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FOR SALE—1,000 pounds prime new goose feathers in bulk; also made into pillows. Remember we are wholesale dealers and headquarters in that line; if you want feathers call and see us; we also renovate feathers. W. D. CHAMBERLAIN & CO., Library Block. 11 d6

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IF YOU USE TABLEWARE, see Aluminum Silver—solid metal goods, equal to solid silver in finish and durability, at one-eighth the cost. The Western Aluminum Silver Co., L. C. BOGART, Agt., Hotel Long. m6-d1w*

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WANTED—A competent girl for general housework and cooking; no washing or ironing or children. MRS. S. BURGESS, 226 North Edward St., city. m4-d6

LOST—A pocket ledger, which the finder will please return to DR. N. D. MYERS, in the Syndicate Block. m4-d6

SEALED BIDS.—Proposals for building of freestone or concrete walks in front of the Macon County Court House will be received by the Building Committee at the office of W. H. Starr, 333 North Main street, Decatur, up to and including Tuesday, March 14, 1893, at 4 o'clock p. m. A copy of the specifications for said work can be had on application at the above office. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

W. H. STARR,
Chairman Committee on Public Buildings.
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Notice to Holders of Time Warrants.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } To whom it may concern.
COUNTY OF MACON }

Notice is hereby given to present for payment at the County Treasurer's office in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the 20th day of March, 1893, all outstanding time warrants issued in part payment for the construction of a court house in said county. Interest on said warrants will cease from and after that date.

H. C. MONTGOMERY,
County Treasurer.

Decatur, Illinois, February 18, 1893.—d30t

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received up to 11 o'clock a. m. March 13th, at the office of the County Clerk for the construction of the stone piers and wing walls for a bridge across Mosquito Creek, 2½ miles south of Boody. Specifications are on file with County Clerk George P. Hardy. A bond will be required from the successful bidder. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. H. COPE,
For the Committee.
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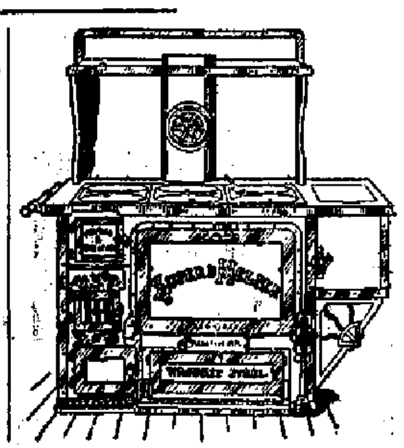

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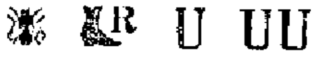

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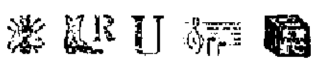

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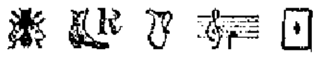

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Emaline B. Wilson, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Emaline B. Wilson, late of the county of Oldham and state of Kentucky, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the May term on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1893.

LOWBER BURROWS,
Executor.
feb21-d3w

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

To the heirs and creditors of the estate of E. F. Delbridge, sr., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 27th day of March, 1893, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will present his final report to the county court at Decatur, Ill., and ask to be discharged, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose to do so.

R. H. WOODCOCK,
Administrator.
f16-d2w

ELECTION NOTICE

There will be an election of officers and directors of the Decatur Greenwood Cemetery held at the office of Albert Barnes, on South Water street, on Friday, March 17, 1893, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock p. m.

m9-dtd R. R. MONTGOMERY, Sec'y.

B. L. STEWART.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over the Postoffice Decatur, Ill.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

In effect October 26, 1892.

WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass....0:30 a m
No. 4 Pass....10:55 a m	No. 8 Pass....3:45 a m
No. 44 Pass...11:06 a m	No. 43 Pass....4:06 a m
No. 42 Pass...10:15 p m	No. 45 Pass....2:06 p m
No. 2 Pass...12:35 p m	No. 6 Pass....2:55 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass....10:10 p m	No. 43 Pass... 4:30 a m
No. 44 Pass....10:50 a m	No. 45 Pass.. 3:10 p m
No. 6 Pass... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass... 9:07 p m
No. 46 Acc.... 7:06 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight 11:55 a m	No. 71, Freight 12:45 p m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT
No. 43 Pass... 4:30 a m	No. 46 Pass... 6:36 a m
No. 45 Pass... 1:50 p m	No. 44 Pass... 11:10 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass...10:32 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement 10:55 a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement... 8:15 p m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass.....3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass....12:45 a m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday 3:30 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:35 a m
No. 5 Pass.... 2:50 p m	No. 4 Pass....11:15 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH	SOUTH.
No. 114 (Diamond Special).......1:12 a m	No. 117 (Diamond Special)........3:59 a m
No. 172 mail...3:25 a m	No. 121 mail. 10:25 a m
No. 102 accom. 2:50 p m	No. 103 pass...6:20 p m
No. 162 pass...5:00 p m	No 193 way ft. 9:10 a m
No. 194 way ft. 3:20 p m	No. 701 (Havana Line) arrives....10:15 a m
No. 702 (Havana Line) leaves.....3:15 p m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass... 2:20 p m	No. 2 Pass....11:15 a m
No. 3 Pass... 3:55 a m	No. 4 Pass.. 10:30 p m
No. 7 Freight. 6:00 a m	No. 8 Freight. 6:30 a m
No. 9 Freight. 8:00 p m	No. 10 Freight. 4:20 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 3 Pass...3:10 p m	No. 1 Pass...11:05 a m
No. 4 Pass... 6:55 a m	No. 6 Pass...10:15 p m
No. 30 Pass, Sunday only.........7:50 a m	No. 31 Pass, Sunday only..........9:00 p m
No. 14 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 11 Freight 2:00 p m

VANDALIA LINE.

EAST.	WEST
No. 2 Pass.....8:00 p m	No. 1 Pass.....11:55 a m
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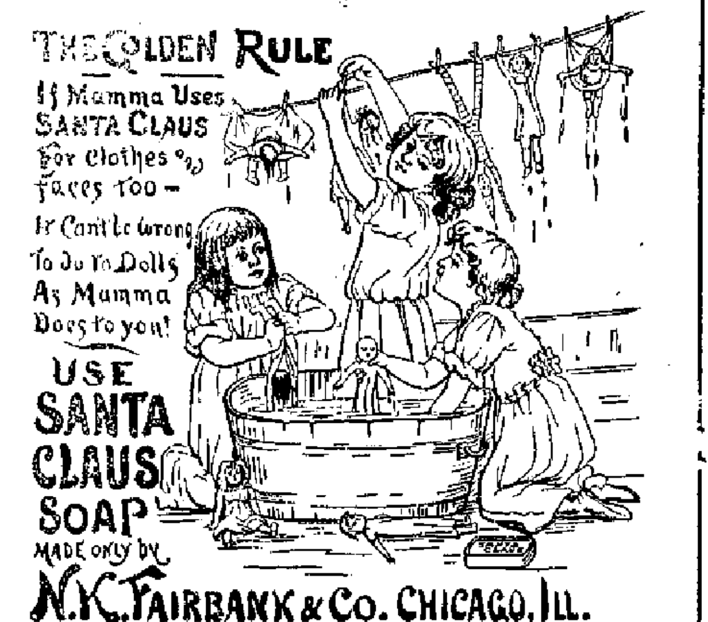

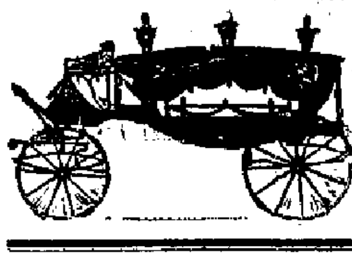

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Has removed from Masonic Temple Block to Syndicate Block, North Main street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to the highest style of the art. Calls night or day will receive prompt attention. In connection a receiving vault.

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TUESDAY EVE., MAR. 14, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

FRESH oysters at Singleton's.

"FOGG'S FERRY" to-night at the Grand.

HAND MADE wall paper received this week at Conklin & Housum's.

IRWIN's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's.

FANCY toilet articles at O. H. Dawson's Pharmacy, formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

SELECT table supplies and fruits at Philip Kemper's store, 757 North Water street.

Piles of people have piles, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. W. F. Neisler.

"FOGG'S FERRY" will be presented to-night at the Grand by the Eunice Goodrich company.

THE usual dancing party will be given to-night at Assumption with Prof. Leonard and his daughters in charge.

A LITTLE ILL, then a little pill. The ill is gone, the pill has won. DeWitt's Little Early Risers the little pills that cure great ills. W. F. Neisler.

THE John I. Hanks grocery store on South Water street is the place to get excellent table supplies.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

STEP in at C. B. Prescott's popular music store and see the fine display of new instruments. Prices low.

IT is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform the cure, and are the best. W. F. Neisler.

THE thanks of Mr. and Mrs. Will Schwartz are returned to their neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy during their bereavement.

IN Justice Shorb's court yesterday Joe Wissen pleaded guilty to assaulting his wife and paid his fine. Mrs. Wissen has a black eye. Mrs. Hall was charged by Mrs. Wissen with using profane language. She paid a fine of $3 and costs.

CAPT. WILL BAILEY, of the night police force, at his home on North Main street, was doing a little carpenter work, and when he aimed a vigorous blow at the nail he hit the index knuckle of his left hand and broke a bone. Now he has his hand swathed in bandages.

THE most intelligent people of our community recognize in DeWitt's Little Early Risers pills of unequaled merit for dyspepsia, headache and constipation. Very small, perfect in action. W. F. Neisler.

THE Aid-de-Camp and the Cachuca will be two of the thrilling dances which will be given by the great Carmencita in the great New York comedy success, "The Prodigal Father" at the Grand Tuesday evening, March 21. These dances have taken New York swelldom by storm for the past three years.

SOME months ago the Decatur church made an effort to secure the services of Rev. Gilliland, pastor of the Christian Church at Bloomington. He was offered a salary of $1800. He was getting $2000. Sunday last Rev. G's salary was raised to $2600, by the Bloomington people. He will stay there, where in five years through his efforts there have been 600 additions to the charge, making a total of 850.

MISS NELLIE CALHOUN, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the St. Nicholas Hotel office, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures. Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired. tf

LAST night the members of the executive committee of the Decatur Christian Endeavor Union held a meeting at the Baptist church. It is proposed to have a union missionary meeting during the month of April. S. L. Mershon, of Chicago, will be invited to address the meeting. Misses Anna Henkle, Hattie J. Brown and Nettie Lindsey will extend the invitations. Misses Lillian Irwin and Anna Henkle will correspond and learn what can be done towards forming a county union. The Intermediate C. E. convention will be held at Montreal, Canada, in July. The president of the Decatur union will learn lowest railroad rates for Decatur and report.

Southern Land Excursions.

The winter does not consume what the summer produces in Mississippi and Alabama. Three Great Land Seekers' Excursions. At less than half rate to all points in Mississippi and Alabama, via the Mobile & Ohio R. R., on March 14th, April 11th, and May 9th. Tickets limited to 30 days allowing stop overs at all points south of the Ohio river. Thousands of acres of choice agricultural lands, for sale at low prices and on easy terms. Three crops a year, no cyclones, no blizzards, no sunstrokes. Through tickets at low rates can be had from any point. Call on your nearest ticket agent for particulars, or apply to F. W. Greene, Gen. Agt., M. & O. R. R., 108 North Broadway street, St. Louis, Mo. E. E. Posey, Acting Gen. Pass. Agt., Mobile, Ala., or F. A. LeForgee & Co., Land Agt. M. & O. R. R., Decatur, Ill. m6d10t

Horses Wanted.

I will be at the old stand on North Church street, Decatur, Ill., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 13, 14 and 15. Will buy a car load of horses for the New England market. Want some good blocky ones, from 1,000 to 1,400 pounds, and from 5 to 8 years old. Highest market price will be paid.

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Don't Miss It.

If you do you will be the loser, for you can get Cut Glass at a price you cannot afford to miss at E. D. Bartholomew's.

THE LATE CHARLES M. BARNES.

Expression of the Macon County Bar on the Death of the Attorney.

Hon. O. A. Ewing, Edwin Park and Judge Nelson, representing the Macon county bar, have prepared the following expression of condolence, which will be spread upon the court records, a copy of the same engrossed and presented to the relatives of the deceased:

MEMORIAL ADOPTED BY THE BAR OF MACON COUNTY, ILL.

Charles M. Barnes, who died on the 9th day of March, A. D., 1893, was a member of the bar of Massachusetts, at Boston. He was born in Decatur, Ill., where he spent his youth. He was then studious and ambitious and passed through the course of instruction afforded by the public schools of the city with marked success. Afterwards he entered Phillips Academy at Andover, and making a reputation for high scholarship, completed the course there in 1873. He then entered Harvard University, took rank among the best students of his class and was graduated with honor in 1877. Immediately entering the law school of the same university he maintained the same high standard of excellence, and had already attracted attention to himself as a master of the science of law when he took his professional degree in 1880. He was soon honored in being chosen as one of the editors of the latest edition of "Kent's Commentaries" and justified the judgment of those by whom he was elected by discharging that difficult duty with marked ability and thoroughness.

He became an instructor in the Harvard law school and filled that arduous place well, adding to his ever increasing honors. He was already distinguished and was on the highway to eminence. He was engaged in the active practice of the law and by the exalted standard of the bench and bar of Massachusetts, he was successful. His learning, his literary skill, the readable strength and disciplined accuracy of the mind were the subjects of the highest commendation by the lawyers with whom he came in contact, and the judges before whom he practiced.

He was stricken down by disease and died before he reached the meridian of life. Although so learned he was yet a young man and a young lawyer.

We, the members of the bar in the city of his nativity, desire to give expression to our sense of his worth as a youth, a student, a man and a lawyer. His career has been an honor to the profession to which he belonged. His course should be an example, a stimulus, an encouragement to those who seek to be interpreters of the vast and complicated science of the law, the almost innumerable rules of human conduct, sanctioned and approved by the proper source of legal authority, as in harmony with the comparatively few and simple principles of unchanging justice.

In this difficult field of mental action, he, though young, was master of the situation. We honor him and thank him.

As friends and fellow-citizens we tender to the wife, father, brothers and sister of this good and honorable man our heartfelt sympathy, and we offer this tribute of our personal and professional respect for him whose death they so deeply mourn.

Dr. Carr Dead.

Dr. R. F. Carr passed away last (Monday) evening, at his home in Argenta, death being caused by a complication of diseases, due to erysipelas. Dr. Carr was the eldest of a family of six children. He was born in Sussex county, N. J., May 13, 1832. By teaching he earned money enough to enable him to enter the academy at Goshen, N. Y. He entered the Albany medical college at Albany in 1853, took three courses and graduated in 1855. In 1856 he came to Illinois and began the practice of medicine in Friends Creek township. He was successful from the first. In 1866 he moved to Decatur, remaining three years and then returning to Friends Creek. After his return he put in a stock of drugs. On April 8, 1858, he married Miss Emily Smick. She survives him, together with nine children, as follows: Mrs. Aura Bricker, Dr. Edward of Aledo, Ill., Mrs. May Spear of Aurora, Dr. Charles of Dow City, Ia., Frank, George, Walter, Irene and Grace. Politically Dr. Carr was always a Democrat. His first presidential vote was cast for Stephen A. Douglas in 1860. The deceased accummulated a fortune of about $50,000. He was a brother-in-law of Aaron Smick, of this city.

Want Places Under Grover.

Among the Decatur Democrats who want Federal appointments by grace of Grover are the following:

Decatur postoffice—Editor Jerry Donahue of the Decatur *Daily Review*; ex-Postmaster S. S. Jack; I. W. Ehrman, retired merchant; Harry C. Scanlan, tailor; Major Williams, late of Mt. Zion, retired farmer; John R. Miller, capitalist. It is believed that Grover's rule about country editors being barred does not apply to Editor Donahue, because he lives in a big town, and if he gets the appointment he will be compelled to sever his connection with the *Review* and give his entire attention to the office.

U. S. Consul - applicants—Dundee, Scotland, George Johnston; Dresden, Hon. William Voorhies, jr.

United States assistant attorney general—Hon. W. E. Nelson, county judge.

Believed to be slated for an important position—Hon. O. A. Ewing, who is a relative of the vice-president.

There are also several applicants for minor appointments in the gift of district officials.

Prohibition Convention.

The Prohibitionists of Decatur township are requested to meet in convention at the W. C. T. U rooms on North Main street at 7 o'clock p. m., on Thursday, March 16, 1893, to determine whether or not a township ticket shall be nominated, and in case it shall be thought best to make nominations, to name candidates for the several offices. Please all come out. Do not fail to be present, and then complain at the course pursued, but come and aid in directing that course.

W. C. OUTTEN, Township Chairman.
G. A. HENDERSON, Township Secretary.

A Free Lecture.

Prof. G. E. Morrow of the State University at Champaign will deliver his lecture "The Worlds' Fair as an Educator and how to see it," at the Presbyterian church this evening under the auspices of the Educational Union. The union will pay all expenses and invite the public to enjoy a pleasant and profitable evening with them free of charge.

Kyner-Cole.

The marriage of Arthur D. Kyner and Mabel Ruby Cole, was quietly solemnized last evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the bride's father, E. D. Cole in Macon, Rev. W. H. Illsley officiating. The groom is a son of Dr. Kyner, and both he and his bride are favorably known in this city. They will probably move to Decatur to reside.

NOT A DETECTIVE.

Supt. W. R. Bresie Claims No Credit in That Line.

To-day W. R. Bresie, whose territory as superintendent for the Pacific Express Company lies east of the Mississippi river, left for Holland, Mich., to represent the company in taking possession of $800 worth of goods bought with stolen money taken by a crooked agent. In January last Charles F. Kidd, then Pacific agent at Collinston, Utah, decamped with $5,000 and $3,000 in diamonds. He left for California with his wife, and finally showed up at Benton Harbor, telling his relatives there that he had made a lucky strike in California. He hung around for awhile, and finally went to Chicago, and bought $1,400 worth of hats, caps and gents furnishing goods to open a store at Holland, Mich. He had leased the store room and had paid $600 on the goods purchased. All the time he was making these preparations to engage in business, Kidd was shadowed by Pinkerton detectives. In fact they had not lost sight of him from the time he was in California living high on the money he had stolen. He was nabbed some days ago at Holland and taken to Utah to stand trial for his crime of robbery. He will go to the penitentiary.

Supt. Bresie will dispose of the goods in the store room at Holland. He had nothing to do with the capture of Kidd. The company's detectives do that work in every case of crookedness. In no case has Mr. Bresie acted in the capacity of a detective. Being the official head of the business in the territory east of the Mississippi river, Mr. Bresie is always called upon to hasten away in case of crookedness of agents or damage to look after company property, in no case to serve as a detective.

Coming.

Recently Robert Mantell the celebrated romantic actor and his company played an engagement in Boston, producing "The Face in the Moonlight." In this piece Mr. Mantell essays a dual character, two half-brothers, one a fine manly fellow, Victor, and officer in the Bourbon Army, the other is known as Rabat, a murderous villain. The characters are strongly drawn and at the hands of Mantell they create an impression which is lasting. The week following the Boston engagement, the company appeared at Lowell, and here is where the joke comes in. Two young Irish fellows passing the opera house chanced to glance at the play bills posted at the door. "Hello", said one of them, "Mantell is here to-night, I'm going in to see him, come on, I saw him last week in Boston and he's a dandy." "Is he a good actor Dan," asked the other. "Good actor is it, why he's one of the best in the world, but he has another fellow in the company named Rabit that can knock spots out of him." Mr. Mantell will be at the Grand next Monday night, March 20th.

A Noted Church Case.

The most comprehensive and complete abstract ever gotten up in Livingston county is that containing the record of the famous United Brethren in Christ church case, known in the courts as Kuns et al. vs. Robertson et al. The case has been tried several times in the circuit court and now it is taken to the supreme court in the shape of a book of 740 closely printed full pages. The case is a noted one, as it involves theological, philosophical, legal and scientific questions which are of national importance. The outcome of this case will solve a bitter controversy among the liberal and radical factions of the United Brethren in Christ church. Both factions are after the property, and they decided to let the courts settle for them which one of them is entitled to it, hence they chose a church near Cornell, Livingston county, while the cases were being tried. All the Bishops and leaders of the two factions from all over the country were present and testified.

Odd Pieces of Silver.

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OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Births.

To Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Hurst, 647 South Main street, Sunday, March 12—a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lawrence, West Green street, Sunday, March 12—a son.

To Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Leesman, Sunday, March 12—a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Large, 846 *North Union street, Sunday, March 12*—a daughter.

Political.

The Democratic township convention will be held at the council room Friday night. It is stated that Frank Watkins will be the nominee for assessor and A. O. Bolen for collector.

A conference of Prohibitionists will be held Thursday night at the W. C. T. U. room to determine whether or not candidates for township offices shall be nominated.

New Spring and Summer Goods

At the lowest prices and an endless variety to select from. Being my own cutter there is no house in the city can undersell me. Call and examine for yourself and have your clothes cut by the prize system. JAMES VEALE,
French Cutter from Cork, 337 North Water street. m10-d1w

In His Grave.

Tom Butterworth, the old English tailor, was buried to-day at the poor farm. He died Sunday night at the poor house. Tom had a shop under the Decatur National Bank until he became too feeble to work.

Got a Place.

James McKinley, of this city, has gone to Chester to assume his duties as guard in the penitentiary at that place. Jim will receive $65 a month, board and lodging, equal to $100 a month.

Kindergarten.

Kindergarten, 337 South Main street, Monday, March 6th, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Terms, 75c per week.

feb21-dtf MRS. W. J. BROWN.

PUGILISM DEAD AT NEW ORLEANS.

Possibility That No More Fights Will be Had in the Crescent City.

Pugilism is done for in New Orleans. The members of the Crescent City club will go in to their pockets and Fitzsimmons will not get his $37,500 to-morrow. He will get $15,000 or $20,000 in cash, all that is available, and good paper for the balance. There will be no more contests in the Crescent City club ring, and perhaps no more in that of the Olympic club, though the Bowen-Burke match is scheduled for the first week in April. The clubs will go at general athletics and rowing, and die unless their social sides are strong enough to bear the financial loss of such shows, which have long ago ceased to pay in richer towns than New Orleans. The women of the city are organizing an anti-pugilistic league, as they did an anti-lottery league, and to-day the leading papers editorially denounce the contests. The next legislature does not meet until May, 1894, and the city authorities are with the clubs. Both presidents, Noel and Dickson are members of the city council. But the best opinions here are that neither club will fly in the face of public opinion and that pugilism in New Orleans is done.

THE VERY LATEST.

A New Wrinkle in Men's Bifurcated Garments.

It is said that the very latest in the line of new things for gentlemen's wear is a pair of pantaloons with one leg four inches longer than its fellow. This is made so that the young men shall not be behind the young ladies in the matter of raising their clothing when they cross muddy streets. When a muddy crossing is reached, the young men reaches down and pulls up the slack in his pants leg and walks gracefully over. If he is a traveling man and carries two grips, then he has an instrument like unto that used by the fairer sex to hold up their trains. It is understood that a number of gentlemen of this city will appear in this style of costume as soon as it is warm enough to put on spring clothing. It is an innovation and will show the young ladies how they look crossing a muddy street.

Cut Glass.

Today begins our Special Sale of Cut Glass. We place in our Special Sale our entire line which is the largest in Central Illinois at Prices you cannot afford to pass by. Remember we carry the Finest line made which took the First Prize at the Paris Exposition.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Oreana Items.

J. P. Dilling was in Decatur Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Vulgamott is recovering from the mumps.

James Lichtenberger made a business trip to Decatur Saturday.

The wheat in this vicinity does not look very promising, but we cannot say as to the outcome.

Lute Ruddock, of Cerro Gordo, has opened a dry goods and grocery store at this place.

David Zinn is now a resident of our town.

Mrs. James Lichtenberger, Sr., was badly injured by a cow, the animal stepping on her in such a manner as to severely strain her ankle. She is slowly improving.

John Moothart was a Decatur visitor Thursday.

Charles Borchers will teach the summer school at the Kirby.

Thomas Fensinger and wife took dinner with James Lichtenberger, Jr., and family Sunday.

Charles Lichtenberger who has been quite sick is improving. Dr. Cass Chenoweth is attending him.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

Three days is a very short time in which to cure a bad case of rheumatism; but it can be done, if the proper treatment is adopted, as will be seen by the following from James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill.: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day; and would insist on every one who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

MRS. OLIVE THORNE MILLER, the well-known ornithologist, is going on a trip this spring to Utah, California and the Yellowstone Park in pursuit of her favorite study.

Deserving Praise.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. King & Wood Druggists.

MRS. GRESHAM attends to a great deal of Judge Gresham's correspondence. She is fond of Washington, but likes it best when it is most deserted.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man.

Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. HERBINE will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver medicine. Price 75 cents. Free trial bottles at Swearingen & Tyler's. d&w

THOUGH the Bishop of Chichester is 90 years of age he attends to all the duties of his office without a coadjutor.

Cholerine in Pennsylvania.

Swickley, Penn.: We had an epidemic of cholerine, as our physicians called it, in this place lately and I made a great hit with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I sold four dozen bottles of it in one week and have since sold nearly a gross. This remedy did the work and was a big advertisement for me. Several persons who had been troubled with diarrhoea for two or three weeks were cured by a few doses of this medicine. P. P. KNAPP, Ph. G.

25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

Buggies, Buggies, Buggies.

When you want a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.

THE breaking up of the winter is the signal for the breaking up of the system. Nature is opening up the the pores and throwing off refuse. DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is of unquestionable assistance in this operation. W. F. Neisler.

EX-GOV. WILLIAM CUMBACK, of Indiana, is in the lecture field this winter. He discussed "The Model Husband" in Albany last week.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov6-d&w1

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 NORTH WATER STREET.

Our Great Sale

GOES MERRILY ON, CLOSING OUT

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING AND SHOES,

☞ At such Prices as are Bound to Draw the People. ☜

Some one jealous of our success, and worried so much, tried to have our advertising stopped and again asked to have our sign taken down. They next will want us to hang a curtain in front of our show windows and door to prevent the people from looking and coming into our store; but no, we can never do that; it wouldn't pay, and our customers would be disappointed, as we are building up a trade that we are proud of. Our goods speak for themselves and we turn away more pleased customers than any similar concern in our city.

Chas. T. Johnston,

151 North Water Street.

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OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

We Respectfully Invite You to Our

EASTER ❋ OPENING

—OF—

Pattern Bonnets,

MARCH 23 TO 25.

COME AND SEE.

PITTENGER'S MILLINERY Parlor,
135 East Main Street.

WATER ❋ COLORS!

+By Celebrated Artists.+

NEW LOT JUST RECEIVED. Prices reasonable. Call and see them.

J. Edward Saxton
POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

GREAT BARGAINS!

WALTER HUTCHIN

Has inaugurated a grand Clearance Sale for the month of March, embracing a full and complete line of BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS preparatory to the arrival of an immense stock of Spring and Summer Footgear.

We Must Make Room for his Big Stock that is in Transit.

We are selling the present stock out at LESS THAN THE RETAILER'S COST. So now is the time to buy, and

+WALTER HUTCHIN'S+
Is the place to buy.

117 NORH WATER STREET,
Sign of the Big Shoe.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

—OUR SYRUP OF—
Tar and Wild Cherry
IS THE BEST REMEDY ON THE MARKET FOR COUGHS, COLDS, ETC.
KING & WOOD,
Druggists.

TUESDAY EVE., MAR. 14, 1893.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CITY ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES E. SCHROLL as a candidate for City Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce E. S. McDONALD as a candidate for City Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican city convention.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES M. LEE as a candidate for City Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce LEWIS F. SHELLEY as a candidate for City Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican City Convention.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Everything Goes—

Salad bowls, berry bowls, nut bowls, bon-bon dishes, olive dishes, cheese plates, water bottles, water pitchers, cream pitchers and tumblers, all go in our Special Sale on Cut Glass.
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

SMOKE the Cubanola cigar.

TAKE Irwin's iron tonic bitters.

READ Anstead's adv—first page.

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417

POULTRY POWDER at Irwin's drug store.

THE Wabash pay car was here to-day.

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

IRWIN'S vegetable liver pills are the best.

HIGH art wall paper at Conklin & Housum's.

GROVER to ex-officeholders—"Tried and found wanting—still wanting."

PATRONIZE C. N. May, the grocer in Syndicate Block. All orders promptly filled.

ALL the leading patent medicines at C. H. Dawson's, successor to Swearingen & Tyler.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

CALL for the Joseph Michl Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are always good.

MORSE'S Indian Root Pills at Lincoln Square Pharmacy, formerly W. C. Armstrong.

THE Free Methodist camp meeting will be held at Oakland Park from July 6 until July 16th.

FRESH country butter and eggs at lowest prices at C. N. May's grocery store, Syndicate Block.

SPRING and summer Tan Boots, for ladies, misses and children, now on sale at Powers' Shoe Store. m3-d&wtf

TO-DAY a marriage license was issued to Cortez D. Nowlin and Miss Minnie B. Jump, both of Austin township.

ESPECIAL attention given to physicians' prescriptions at C. H. Dawson's formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

ALL the popular perfumes at C. H. Dawson's Pharmacy, Main and Water streets, formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

THE Spencer & Lehman company have just received a full line of fresh garden seeds from D. M. Ferry & Co. march10-d&w2m

THE school of Odd Fellows at Argenta opened to-day. Henry A. Strong of Vandalia, deputy grand master, is the instructor.

E. GENSBULEITER, liveryman Pittsburg, Pa., cured a valuable horse of influenza by using Salvation Oil on him for a few days.

FOR a good lunch call at the Star lunch room, 107 South Main street, Decatur, Ill. N. B. Meyer, proprietor, open day and night. mar14-d5t

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

LECTURE to-night at the Presbyterian church by Prof. Morrow, of Champaign, on "The World's Fair and How to See It." No charge at the door.

THE president of the Illinois College at Jacksonville, Dr. J. E. Bradley, visited the Decatur schools yesterday, speaking at the High School and at the Warren street school.

TO-NIGHT at the Congregational church Rev. Brobst will preach on "Men Masquerading," and E. G. Carter, of Jacksonville, will lead the singing. All are cordially invited.

MRS. J. WATSON, 1022 Arizona street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes: "I think Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a splendid remedy. I had to cough night and day, and one bottle relieved me wonderfully.

MISS McCOY, of the firm of Sawyer & McCoy, has returned from a business trip in the east, where she selected a large and elegant line of millinery goods; also a number of fine patterns for our Easter Opening, which will occur March 28, 29, and 30. 11-d1w

LAST evening in the county court in the estate of O. B. Prescott, deceased, on petition of the widow, Mrs. Adele Prescott, Judge Nelson appointed Allen T. Whitsel administrator. The estate consists of the homestead property on South Union street and personal property valued at $18,000. The bond is $36,000.

THE Republicans of Macon township have made the following nominations: Supervisor, O. H. Draper; clerk, E. L. Hight; assessor, T. J. Fleming; collector, M. D. Alexander; justices of the peace, A. Daggett and M. Giblin; constables, W. M. Willoughby and John Coombe; highway commissioner, Wm. Johnson.

THE contract for the new iron bridge in Blue Mound township over Mosquito creek was let Monday to the Columbus Bridge company of Columbus, Ohio, represented by George F. Barnard of Decatur. The lowest bid was $1373 for the entire work. Supervisors Cope and Singleton and Commissioners Moffatt and Dailey let the contract. The bridge is to be completed by June 1st of the present year.

Postponed Sale.

On account of the weather B. F. Pickrell, of Lanesville, Ill., has postponed his sale of pure-bred grade and Clydesdale horses from the 8th to the 16th of March, 1893. B. F. PICKRELL.
mar14-d2t

SUPERVISORS IN SESSION.

First Meeting of the Board in the New Court House.

The March meeting of the Macon county board of supervisors convened this afternoon in the supervisors' room on the third floor in the new court house, a REPUBLICAN reporter being present to make note of the historical fact. Chairman May presided, and County Clerk Hardy was at his desk. All of the members of the board were present: J. B. Nowlin, of Austin; W. P. Sleeter, of Blue Mound; H. F. May, A. H. Cope, Thomas Quinn, W. H. Starr, Conrad Ammann, Hiram Johnson, Huston Singleton, of Decatur; H. C. Griffin, of Friends Creek; W. L. Whitley, of Harristown; V. Barber, of Hickory; E. J. Roberts, of Illini; S. C. Davis, of Long Creek; J. H. Parker, of Maroa; Archie Dickson, of Milam; D. C. Davidson, of Mt. Zion; J. A. Cussins, Niantic; W. C. Burley, of Oakley; W. H. Bean, of Pleasant View; O. H. Draper of Macon; J. H. Miller, of Wheatland, and C. H. Garver, of Whitmore.

The first business to receive attention was to read the proceedings of the December meeting, and then bills were referred to the various standing committees.

The gentlemen of the board stepped into the spring-back chairs gracefully, and found places for their hats and overcoats on the polished desks in front. The room is well lighted and is fairly large enough for the members of the board, but there is little provision made for spectators. Probably twenty people could be accommodated.

The supervisors generally are very well pleased with the new building. Here and there they make a criticism about the placing of doors and counters. Possibly changes will be made to suit the convenience of the officials and the general public.

The board will be in session all week.

BENDER WANTS TO DIE.

Domestic Trouble Made Him Desperate—Took Morphine.

D. H. Bender, who last night applied to the police for assistance in locating his wife, who he claimed from evidence in his possession had taken up with one Joe Rugge, to-day concluded that his woes had reached that magnitude where life ceased to be desirable, and he proceeded to end it. He was stopping at Mars', on North Edward street, north of the P., D. & E. railway track, and at about 10:20 o'clock took two grains of morphine. As soon as it was discovered that he had taken the narcotic, Dr. Tobey, county physician, was sent for. The doctor arrived about 11 o'clock, and found Bender pretty thoroughly narcotized. He was limp and unconscious. The proper antidotes were speedily administered, which were supplemented by the physical measures necessary in such cases, and finally the dangerous effects of the poison were overcome and at last reports the jilted husband was in a fair way to recover. Bender is a farmer, and was in the act of moving from Harristown to Sangamon when his misfortunes befel him.

U. B. Revival.

A good congregation greeted Rev. G. K. Little last night at the U. B. Church, who selected as his text 2nd Cor. 13th chapter and a part of the fifth verse. "Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith." Rev. Little insisted upon a personal examination for the purpose of knowing whether their faith was in God or not. He exhorted the church in a most earnest manner to become more and more consecrated to the work. One was forward to the altar desiring a clearer evidence of acceptance with God and one arose for prayer. There will be a meeting to-night, commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

Club Election.

The members of the Calumet Club will elect officers to-day from 4 to 9 p. m., when the polls will be open in the club room. The printed ticket of the candidates bear these names: For President, John S. Bixby, Breck Irwin; Vice President, John H. McCoy; Secretary and Treasurer, Joe Housum; Directory, (six to be elected), W. H. Curran, Frank Dodd, Harry Shlaudeman, C. W. Dawson, Will A. Hammer, C. L. Griswold, jr., Dr. T. S. Childs, F. B. Mueller, Harry Metz, K. H. Roby, Jr., J. Frank Davis, F. H. Pahmeyer, L. F. Martin, C. C. Leforgee, G. O. McKenzie.

"Fogg's Ferry" To-Night.

The ever-welcome Eunice Goodrich company gave "The Black Flag" at the Grand last night in a capital manner, to standing room only. It was the largest first night audience ever seen in the hall. The play pleased everybody. Miss Goodrich was the favorite. She had good support. Little Theodora as *Tot* made a hit in song and dance.

To-night the play will be "Fogg's Ferry." Don't miss it. Prices—10, 20 and 30 cents

Jerry Still In It.

A telegram from Washington states that to a deputation of congressmen who waited on him to make inquiries on the subject, President Cleveland said the report about his decision not to appoint newspaper men to office was erroneous. He had no intention to discriminate against newspaper men.

A March Blizzard.

The blizzard in the northwest yesterday and last night has given the residents of this locality another taste of winter. There was a drop of 25 degrees last night, accompanied by a cutting wind and some snow. Milder temperature is promised.

Death of Laura Trester.

Miss Laura M., the 15-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trester, died last night at 12 o'clock at the home of her parents, 1442 North Calhoun street, of lung fever. The time of the funeral has not been set.

Our Glassware Sale

embraces all grades of *Glass Tumblers*, as well as the *finest line of Cut Glass in the city*—25 styles Tumblers at from 60 to 80 cents a dozen, worth $1.00 and $2.00 a dozen. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Will Close.

The Public Library will be closed Wednesday from 12 to 6 p. m., on account of the funeral of C. M. Barnes, son of Dr. W. A. Barnes, who is president of the library board.

THE thanks of Mr. and Mrs. Will Schwarts are returned to their neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy during their bereavement.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Pussy Hoskins is on the sick list.

C. L. Haydon, of St. Louis, is in the city.

Breck Irwin is in Pana to-day on business.

Miss Belle Burrows is confined to her home by sickness.

J. L. Thayer is in Champaign this week on business.

L. N. Cope returned to-day from a business trip to Bement.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shellabarger have returned from Chicago.

Dr. Connelly, of Harristown, is in the city to-day on business.

Dr. W. M. Catto visited Cerro Gordo to-day on professional business.

Mrs. M. H. Farmer has returned from a visit with relatives at Virden.

Mrs. Jennie Sanders is in Chicago to note the latest dressmaking styles.

Edward Harpstrite and E. J. Harpstrite have returned from Omaha, Neb.

Mrs. W. H. Addis, who has been seriously ill for nearly two months, is convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Underwood, of Warrensburg, were in the city to-day en route to Lintner.

Mrs. John Freeman, of Moweaqua, is in the city visiting her son, John B. Freeman and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nesbit and son returned to-day from a visit with relatives at Mechanicsburg.

Rev. T. D. Weems was in the city yesterday, having come up from Moweaqua to see his two grand children.

W. R. Bresie, superintendent of the Pacific Express company, left to-day for Holland, Mich., on business.

J. S. Goodrich, superintendent of the middle division of the Wabash railroad, was here to-day on business.

Ed Ackerman, of Pensacola, Fla., arrived in the city this morning to visit his brothers, Sam and Lon Ackerman.

Herbert C. Eldridge, son of Mrs. E. R. Eldridge, has been elected cashier of the First National Bank at Gainesville, Tex.

Mrs. W. B. Chambers arrived home to-day from a visit at the city of Mexico. Dr. W. A. Barnes and Mrs. Stanton will arrive home to-night.

J. W. and J. B. Fritz have returned from their trip through the west and southwest. They visited in Kansas and the Indian Territory.

Ed Mattes and Eli P. Dawson visited Occidental Lodge No. 163, A. F. and A. Masons, in St. Louis last evening, returning home to-day.

Henry Mathews left last night for Dayton, Ohio, to meet his brother, Lieut. Clarence Mathews, U. S. N. Lieutenant Mathews has been on duty at Pittsburg, Pa., as an inspector of steel being made for the navy. Having finished his duties there he has now been assigned to duty on the cruiser, New York, and in a few days will go on board that vessel.

TRIAL IN NEW COURT HOUSE

Judge Nelson Adjourns a Case to the New Court House and Takes Possession.

The suit of Miss Kate Griffin, of Dalton City, against D. Patterson, conservator of Pat Griffin, who is now in the insane asylum at Kankakee, was on trial before Judge Nelson yesterday afternoon in his small quarters in the old county court room. There was a jury of twelve men, many witnesses, and others for whom the case had something of interest. The little room was crowded to suffocation, when along came a supervisor, who, seeing the uncomfortable state of things, suggested to Judge Nelson that the furniture had been placed in the new room set off for the county court, and that he saw no reason why the new room could not be occupied. This was enough. Judge Nelson immediately moved clients, lawyers, witnesses, jury, Thomas C. Hardy, who was acting as clerk, Bailiff Samuel Weitsel, who was acting as sheriff, and spectators, to the new room in the new court house, and thus Judge W. E. Nelson opened the first case in the new court house. The new room is an elegant one and all present are well pleased with the change.

The lawyers in the case were Felix D. McAvoy, of Jacksonville, and David Hutchinson, of Decatur, for plaintiff, and A. G. Webber, of Decatur, for the defense. The jurymen were: Stephen Peake, James Durfee, Edward Leech, Joseph S. Hewes, John Gogerty, I. W. Ehrman, R. T. Williams, John R. Williams, David Moffitt, David Hanks and Hiram Johnson.

The trial of the case was concluded to-day, when the plaintiff was awarded $832, not counting $20 which had been advanced by Conservator Patterson.

May Camp in Chicago.

The feasibility of holding the next annual encampment of the Illinois National Guard in Chicago is being considered. In view of the fact that the World's Fair will be in progress next summer the country regiments are naturally desirous of going there, and the authorities are disposed to gratify them if it can be done without too much expense and without detriment to the service. A proposition of a four days' encampment is being considered. Adjt.-Gen. Orendorf has been figuring carefully on estimates for the next two years, and has concluded to ask for an appropriation of only $240,000 and this notwithstanding the fact that the military force has been increased by the admission to it of another regiment, the Hibernian rifles. The appropriation for the last two years was $265,000. This was exhausted and there is an existing deficiency of $12,500 to be provided for.

Sales of Real Estate.

James Geddes to Henry P. Pistorius, deed to 20 acres in 23, 15, 1 east—$5200.

H. H. Wise to W. Cartwright, deed to tract of land in 6, 14, 1 east—$25.

Wesley Cartwright to John C. Sprague, deed to tract of land in 6, 14, 1 east—$325.

Barbara Wagoner et al to Leonard Wagoner, deed to 82.76 acres in 6, 16, 4 east—$4920.

Hiram Phillips to J. W. Eller, the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, also east half of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, also the northeast quarter of the southwest all in 16, 16 4, east—$9,000

J. R. Garriott to O. M. Cannon, lot 3, 4 and 5, in block 6, in village of Harristown—$500.

DIED, at her home, two miles east of Rochester, Saturday, March 11, Margaret, wife of James Richardson, aged 53 years. Margaret Nesbitt was born in Decatur, Feb. 28, 1840. On Jan. 3, 1867, she was married to James Richardson. Six children have blessed their union, all of which are living. There names are Mrs. Jennie Turley, Mary Richardson, Thomas, James, Samuel and Bennett Richardson.

THE officers of the Macon Canning Factory company are O. H. Draper, president; John Zollars, vice-president; J. L. Hight, treasurer; George L. Hight, secretary; John Montgomery, William Catherwood, Robert Bivens, S. Giles and Will Brooks, directors.

AFTER THE OFFICES.

A List Which Indicates that There Are a Few Patriots Left.

The Chicago *Tribune* to-day gives a long list of the names of Illinois applicants for office. The roll shows the following from some of the towns in Central Illinois:

Bloomington—For postoffice, Ex-Representative John Eddy and John J. Pitts; for Internal Revenue Collector, Owen Scott and Miles Brooks; Deputy Collector, James F. O'Donnell. Lee Harvey, a locomotive engineer, wants to be inspector of materials for public buildings. Dr. J. A. McKinzie, of Leroy, this county, cousin of Adlai E. Stevenson, is after the Superintendency of the Insane Asylum at Jacksonville. Jas. Stevenson Ewing would accept a position as Judge of a United States District Court or a place on the Supreme bench.

Champaign—Postoffice, Thomas Kent, George L. Maxwell, Isaac Fielding, A. M. Scott; United States Consul, Francis O'Neil, E. F. Powers, R. B. Condit.

Danville—For postoffice, Mayor John Beard, George R. Tilton, Harper Daniels, W. A. Connelly, B. E. Bandy, Guy McDowell and J. M. Dougherty. Dr. P. H. Barton would like to be Consul to Cork.

Decatur—W. E. Nelson, County Judge, wants to be Assistant Attorney General. Postoffice applicants: Jerry Donahue, Isaac W. Ehrman, S. S. Jack, Harry C. Scanlan, John R. Miller, Maj. Williams; Consul at Dundee, Scotland, Geo. Johnston; Consul at Dresden, William Voorhies, Jr., C. A. Ewing, cousin of the Vice President, is believed to be slated for some high position.

Jacksonville—For postoffice, James Stevenson, Hezekiah Craig, Leonard W. Chambers, Charles B. Lewis. National Live Stock Inspector, D. A. Mahoney.

Litchfield—E. Southworth wants an Auditorship in the Treasury Department; Charles Brandon, postoffice; W. S. Bridges of Carlinville, Pension Bureau.

Mattoon—James L. Scott, J. J. Beal, Adolph Summerlin, applicants for postoffice; John Hall, Ivan Summerlin, W. T. Mason, applicants for anything in sight; James W. Craig and Judge Phipps, any vacant judicial position.

Pana—For Postmaster, Jacob Swallow, Thomas Downey and Almie McMillen.

Paris—For Postoffice, L. A. Gody Sheriff Thomas E. Garner, ex-Postmaster George Y. Hurst, Henry Rudy, William Hunter Jr., John O. Burget.

Shelbyville—For Postoffice, George W. Keeler, Luther M. Embry and Capt. Henry L. Hart; for District Judge of Alaska, Treeman E. Ames; for Deputy United States Marshall for Southern Illinois, Lafayette Higginbotham.

Springfield—For Commissioner of Pensions, Gen. John A. McClernand; United States District Attorney, Ex-Senator William E. Schutt; Collector Internal Revenue, Harris Hickox and Gen. John A. McClernand; Postmaster, Reddick M. Ridgely, John O. Remes, Charles A. Keyes, Editor T. W. S. Kidd of the *Monitor*, and Editor H. W. Clendenin of the *Register*; United States Circuit Judge to succeed Judge Gresham Judge W. J. Allen; United States District Judge to succeed Allen, John Mayo Palmer; Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Edward L. Merritt. In addition a number of ambitious gentlemen have confidentially communicated to their townsmen, Senator Palmer and Congressman Springer, their readiness to accept Consulships and other easy places, but have not made their expectations known to the public.

Taylorville—For postoffice, C. N. Walls, Ed McCaskill and Charles A. Morrison. James B. Ricks wants a consulship.

Tuscola—Col. W. B. Bristow, United States Marshal of the southern district; W. B. Chandler, inspector of Indian agencies; James Walling, inspector of government timber; Col. W. Taggart, grain inspector; P. C. Sloan, Charles W. Wilson, Thomas MacIlvane and Robert Cox are after the postoffice.

List of Patents.

Granted to Illinois inventors this week reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and foreign patents, opposite U. S. patent office, Washington, D. C.: D. Bruno, Avondale, tramel point; W. I. Bunker, La Grange, gearing; G. N. Einsele and G. W. De Grasse, Crete, automatic railway switch; J. Fernald, Wellington, tile machine and cutter; C. H. Gerrard, plow; E. E. Hills, Dixon, type-writing machine; G. B. Kelley, Rockford, burnishing machine; H. McPherson, Crete, hay rake and loader; W. F. Modes, Streator, glass-tank furnace; J. Monton, Maywood, manufacturing car couplings; J. F. Palmer, Riverside, fabric; J. F. Platt, Sterling, disk harrow; B. T. Scott, Milford, cultivator; W. A. Shepard, Elgin, combined inhaler and spirometer; C. G. Van Alstine, Rockford, pitch board; J. R. Watts, Springfield, bracket for miners' lamps.

An Unknown Poisoner's Deadly Work.

MADISON, Ind., March 15.—Albert Ross died yesterday afternoon, the third victim of the unknown poisoner whose work has been directed against the family of Mrs Clarkson. Eva Ross died last Monday; Mrs. Clarkson, her mother, died Thursday, and Albert, her brother, died yesterday. All had the same symptoms. In the stomach of each one arsenic was found in deadly quantity.

The question that now agitates the community is. "Who is the murderer and how was the poison administered?" The facts, as far as they have been disclosed, point to Eva as a suicide and the post-mortem slayer of her mother and brother. Eva was 19 years old. Her lot was a hard one, and she was discontented. She is known to have purchased arsenic March 5.

Snow-Bound.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., March 14.—Another blizzard struck Superior yesterday morning. There was less wind and the temperature was more moderate than under the two other recent storms, but the snow was heavy and packed hard as it fell. By noon electric cars had stopped running. The storm came up so suddenly that cars are stalled all along the lines. Trains are generally three or four hours late. Last night the wind had gone down and very little snow was falling.

QUEEN VICTORIA, in her youth, was very fond of archery.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MODERN WOODMEN

The regular meeting of Easterly Camp, 1026, M. W. of A., will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall on East Main street to-morrow, Wednesday, evening, March 15, 1893. Twenty candidates at least are expected. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.
J. H. KINGSLEY, V. C.
J. M. DAVENPORT, Clerk.

MASONIC.

Special Convocation of Macon chapter, No. 21, R. A. Masons, this (Tuesday) evening at 7 o'clock sharp for work in Royal Arch degree.
A. M. WERNER, H. P.
N. L. KRONE, Sec.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted for daily market reports and gossip given by B. Z. Taylor, who fills all orders promptly by direct wire.

CHICAGO, Ill. March 14, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Jan	....	....	....	....
Mar	73	73½	72¾	72¾
May	76½	77	75¾	76
July	73	73	72⅝	72¾
CORN—				
Jan	....	....	....	....
Mar	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
May	44	44	43⅝	43¾
July	44¾	44⅝	44	44⅜
OATS—				
Mar	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼
May	33	33	32⅝	32¾
July	....	....	....	....
PORK—				
Dec	....	....	....	....
May	17 75	17 75	17 30	17 37
July	....	....	....	....
LARD—				
May	12 10	12 10	11 90	11 95
July	....	....	....	....
RIBS—				
May	10 30	10 30	10 00	10 15
July	....	....	....	....

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 275, Contract, 74.
Corn, all grades, 165, Contract, 22.
Oats, all grades 181, Contract, 15

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 10,000; 10 higher.
Cattle 5,500; strong.

Wheat declined ⅛c, corn and oats closing about the same as yesterday. Wheat very soggy. Clique still holding May up. Commission houses advise not to trade in that month.

Puts on May wheat........75¾-⅝
Calls " " "........77
Puts " " corn........43⅝
Calls " " "........46⅜

Curb, wheat 75¾, corn 43¾.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW,

Wheat, 180, Corn, 134, Oats, 103.
Hogs 15,000.

LOGAN LETTER.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following E. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire:

CHICAGO, Ill., March 14, 1893.

The wheat market to-day has been much more active than for several days past. May opened 76⅝, sold at 77, as low as 75¾ and closed at 76⅛. July is strong as compared with May. Manipulation, no doubt, can put prices higher, but unless we have serious damage to the growing crop or unusually late spring seeding it will be hard work to advance May over any future month. Damage to the crop means higher prices for July. Cables are dull the present demand being supplied independent of the Atlantic seaports.

The prominent feature in the corn pit has been the liberal selling by provision houses and the absence of buying orders from the outside or locally. We regard the market as weak.

Oats are heavy with little speculative interest in them.

The provision market is about as nervous as it can be. The trade is light with stocks unusually short. One feature of the trade is the demand for meats and lard from interior points where packers usually have a surplus to ship.

MARRIED.

At his office, March 13, by W. L. Hammer, J. P., John L. Canaday of Decatur and Miss Lenora B. Lion of Sullivan.

EX-GOV. WILLIAM CUMBACK, of Indiana, is in the lecture field this winter. He discussed "The Model Husband" in Albany last week.

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SOME of our customers have failed to understand fully the import of the tremendous reductions we have made on the C. P. Ford & Co. Ladies' Fine Shoes. These shoes are as good as any made in the country. We have 3,000 pairs of them and will not handle them after the present stock is exhausted. These shoes which have retailed regular the world over for $3 50 and $4 00, have cost $2.75, but WE NOW SELL THEM AT $2.25. Shoes of the same manufacture, machine sewed, which retailed regular at $3.00 and which job everywhere for $2.25, we are now selling at $1.75.

DO YOU ASK WHY?

Not that there is anything the matter with the shoes for there is nothing wrong with them. The only reason is that we intend to go out of this line altogether and we propose to make prices that will sell them. No lady in Decatur and no lady in the surrounding towns can afford to let this opportunity slip. They can never again buy shoes at such tremendous reduction and of such uniform good quality, and in every size and width that may be desired. Remember there are 3,000 pairs only and we want to sell as large a number of pairs as possible through our Decatur house because we want to give a benefit to all those who were our patrons in the days before we became wholesalers in Chicago.

DON'T LET THEM BEAR FALSE WITNESS.

It is probably true that every rival shoe dealer in Decatur will have something to say against these shoes now that they cannot meet the prices. It is probably true that every shoe dealer in Decatur may have something to say about the style of our advertising. What do you care? It is the goods at the prices for which you are looking and that is precisely what we are giving you.

THIS SALE TO CONTINUE TILL APRIL 1.

We have so many goods that this sale will continue to April 1. We continue our low price sale on everything in our store. We ask you to note that in some things there are substantial reductions from any prices heretofore made, for instance, Burt & Mears shoes at $1.75 per pair.

+MEN'S SHOES.+

Men's calf shoes, Goodyear hand-sewed, retail regular at $3.60 and $4, cost $3 25 we will sell you one pair or as many pairs as you want at $2.

Men's calf shoes, which retail at $3, cost $2 and $2.25; we will give you one pair or as many as you like at $1.85 per pair.

From the above you have noticed that on goods which we must close out before spring we are actually taking a loss on the retailer's cost price. We wish we could tell you this fact in a way that you would appreciate it to the extent of buying for future use if you have at present all the shoes which you need.

We continue our unheard of low prices on the James A. Banister and Burt & Mears' Shoes. We want you to buy shoes this month.

$6 FOR $4.75.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, cordovans, regularly sold at $6 and worth the money—in this sale go at $4.75.

$5.50 FOR $4.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, in fine calf, all styles and sizes, our regular stock, sold by us all the year round at $5.50 and worth the money, but in this sale they go at $4.

$6.50 FOR $1.75.

The celebrated Burt & Mears' Shoes, hand-made and hand-sewed, sold regularly at $6.50. We have only sizes 5½, 6, 6½, 9½, 10 and 11. If we can fit you, you may have a pair at $1.75. Sizes run large; shoes in congress and button.

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These Patterns are all new and received the past week, and each pattern is sold complete, with all linings, bones, buttons, shields, etc.

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FROM WASHINGTON.

More Gold, with Red Tape, for the Treasury.

THE REMAINS OF THE LATE MR. BLAINE

Wanted for Interment at His Old Home in Maine—A Hoosier Claim Disallowed—Princess Kaiulani at the White House.

Gold and Red Tape.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The treasury department continues to receive offers of gold from the west in exchange for small notes for which there is a present and increasing demand. Several of the offers of gold after they had been made had to be temporarily declined as it was found that the gold was of light weight, and until those who offered it made up the deficiency in weight the government could not accept.

In this connection it is interesting to note the absolute accuracy which the government requires before it will receipt for light-weight coin. Only a short time ago a consignment of gold was received at the treasury department from San Francisco. The gold came in heavy canvas bags and in an aggregate of $250,000 of gold it was found that it was nine cents light in weight. The cashier of the treasury had to make good the deficiency of nine cents, but the bags themselves were sent to the assay office at Philadelphia, and at an expense of probably a hundred times the amount of light weight the bags were burned; the gold was recovered from the bags by a smelting process and returned to the cashier, who in the end lost nothing.

The Remains of the Late James G. Blaine.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Acting under the terms of a resolution adopted by the legislature of Maine, Gov. Cleaves has written to Mrs. James G. Blaine requesting permission for the state officials to remove the remains of her late husband from Oak Hill cemetery, in this city, to Augusta, the capital city of Maine, and his home throughout his long and eminent career. At the time the resolution was adopted by the legislature it was understood the people of the state would provide a monument to mark Mr Blaine's final resting place in case the effort to secure the removal of the remains was successful.

Mrs. Blaine returned last night from New York, and has not made any reply to the request of the governor. Whatever may be the decision reached in the matter, it is understood that it will not indicate a change of residence for Mrs. Blaine. She will continue to make her home in Washington, but desires to find a smaller and more retired house than the big red mansion she now occupies.

Princess Kaiulani Falls in Love With Our Frances.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—At 5:30 yesterday afternoon President and Mrs. Cleveland accorded a special reception to Princess Kaiulani, the meeting taking place in the blue parlor. The princess was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Davies, their daughter and a lady friend. The call was entirely of a social nature, and lasted probably a quarter of an hour. The visitors were charmed with the cordiality of the reception accorded them, the ladies being captivated by the pleasing manners of the wife of the president, and the princess said subsequently that Mrs. Cleveland was the only lady that she ever fell in love with.

During the day Mr. Davies, unaccompanied by the princess or any of his family, called on Secretary Gresham. This visit, like that to the White House, was purely a social one. Mr. Paul Newman, envoy of the queen, also called on Secretary Gresham during the afternoon.

A Hoosier Claim Disallowed.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The judgment of the court of claims dismissing the petition of the state of Indiana to recover from the United States $412,184, alleged to be due the state out of moneys received by the United States from the sales of public lands, within the state, was to-day affirmed by the United States supreme court in an opinion by Justice Gray. The claim arose under the act granting the state 5 per cent. of the proceeds of the sales of public lands within their borders.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(Extra Session.)

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Call as to withholding patents to public lands in Florida, was laid before the senate and was—at the suggestion of Mr Gorman—permitted to remain on the table.

The resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Manderson, to confine the action of the senate of the session to executive business was laid before the senate, and was modified by Mr. Manderson so as to read:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the senate that at this extraordinary session of the senate business transacted shall be confined to the consideration of treaties and other executive matters and those requiring the action of the senate only.

Mr. Cockrell said he saw no occasion for the adoption of such a resolution.

Mr. Manderson disclaimed any contention that the senate when called in extraordinary session did not possess every power. His resolution was simply a declaration of the sense of the senate that it had better not consider legislative matters.

Mr. Cockrell expressed it as his judgment that the president could call the house in extraordinary session and that the house might pass appropriation bills or a tariff bill, and that the president might afterwards call the senate in extraordinary session and that the senate could then take up and act upon the bills passed by the house.

Mr. Teller reminded senators on his side of the chamber that a democratic executive had called the senate in extraordinary session, and suggested that it was rather unbecoming in them to interfere with the course of business. The responsibility of legislation did not rest on senators on his side of the chamber. If the other side did not want anything done he would be glad to have that policy made, and it would be very agreeable to him.

Mr. Gorman said that he had gone very carefully over the precedents, and that he had found the first considerable debate on the subject to have taken place in 1851. On that occasion Senator Seward, of New York, had offered a resolution which had been adopted and had ever since been practically the rule that had governed the senate. That resolution was: "That the senate is not restricted at this session to the consideration of matters properly executive, but that such consideration may be extended to all matters proper to be transacted by the senate without the co-operation of the house of representatives." Mr. Gorman suggested that the resolution and Mr. Hale's substitute for it should be withdrawn, and that unanimous consent should be given that the senate will not consider matters concerning the other house.

Objection was made by Mr. George, and the discussion went on for some time longer—the resolution finally going over without action.

Mr. Frye offered a resolution, which he explained and which was agreed to, rescinding so much of a resolution adopted in the senate on February 27 last as requires the secretary of war to suspend action in relation to the improvements in the harbors of Pennsylvania.

The senate then, at 1.05, adjourned until Wednesday next at noon.

ANTIOPTION IN ILLINOIS.

Kent's Bill to Prevent Gambling in Grain, Beef, Pork, Lard or Provisions.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A bill entitled "an act to prevent gambling in grain, beef, pork, lard or provisions by corporations, brokers or others," was introduced in the Illinois general assembly on February 7 by Representative William A. Kent of the eleventh district So unobtrusive was the debut of the measure, which was referred to the committee on municipal corporations, that intelligence of its real import did not reach the Chicago board of trade until Saturday, when it created quite a stir.

Mr. Kent's bill defines 'gambling" as the selling or buying on margins of any of the commodities now dealt in on the board. "It shall be unlawful," says the bill, "for any corporation, association or individual to buy or sell any grain, beef, pork lard or provisions, or to keep a place where such sales are made on margins or otherwise where no intention of receiving and paying for the property so bought or of delivering the property so bought or sold, is made then and there apparent as a part of the transaction."

Should the bill become a law the board of trade will have to close its doors and several thousand people who now find occupation and profit within its walls will be compeled to find other pursuits in life.

SPREADING FLAMES.

Destructive Prairie Fire in Western Rooks County, Kan.

PLAINFIELD, Kan., March 14.—A fire started yesterday in Western Rooks county and was driven by a furious northeast wind. Nearly everything was swept away in the path of the fire, which was several miles wide. The town of Pallio was burned except three buildings. The total loss is about $8,000.

Sylvester Scannon and Oscar Lilly, farmers near Ambrey, were caught by the fire. The former's clothing was burned entirely off, and he will die. The latter will recover.

The buildings of Sam Wise, farmer, were burned, with their contents. The loss is heavy. The Bophria school house, southwest of Plainville, was also burned The fire ran southwest across the Saline river, and much damage was done to stock, feed and buildings.

The Chicago Switchmen Accept the Situation Gracefully.

CHICAGO, March 14.—Vice Grand Master Downey of the Switchmen's association yesterday presented to the general managers of the roads running into this city the official declaration of the switchmen accepting the answer of the general managers refusing an increase of pay, and stating that no further action would be taken in the matter by the switchmen without sufficient notice being given to everybody concerned.

"I do not anticipate a strike," said Mr. Downey after he had delivered the document. "One could not be declared inside of six weeks were we so disposed. Perhaps after the fair is over and the records show that the railroads have had a particularly prosperous time the switchmen may ask for more pay. Public matters of great importance being then out of the way the general managers will be in a place to do business with the switchmen."

The Cherokee Strip Boomers Make a Discovery.

GUTHRIE, Okla., March 14.—The Cherokee strip agitators have just discovered that should the Cherokee senate decide not to accept the terms of the strip bill passed by congress that the strip cannot be opened by the president. This has caused a great commotion among them, and a delegation will at once go to to Talequah to work with the Indian council.

For several days a number of cattlemen who have had cattle on the strip for years have been in conference here, and it is believed they are planning to defeat the ratification of the bill by the Cherokees and thus secure the strip for pasturage for another term of years There is considerable excitement over the matter, and the boomers declare that should the bill be rejected by the Indians they will move on the strip in a body and stay there and shoot every steer brought in.

The McKinley Fund.

COLUMBUS, O, March 14.—Gov. McKinley said yesterday morning, when asked about the report sent out from Chicago that the subscriptions to his trustees in his behalf were sufficient to discharge his entire liability in the Walker failure, that he knew nothing about it. He seemed very much annoyed by the publication, and was not inclined to be interviewed concerning it.

Fatal Explosion of a Locomotive.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 14.—Locomotive No. 320 of the Philadelphia, Reading & New England railway, exploded at St. Elmo, N. Y., ten miles west of Poughkeepsie bridge, yesterday morning. George A. Shufeldt, fireman, and Horace Timberly, brakemen, were instantly killed, and the engineer, James Flannigan, was frightfully injured.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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BOURGEOIS' DEFENSE

Mme. Cottu's Testimony in the Assize Court

CREATES A BIG STIR IN THE CHAMBER.

The Minister of Justice, Having Resigned, Defends Himself Against the Witness' Charges and the Boulangist Onslaught.

PARIS, March 14.—An hour before the opening of the chamber of deputies yesterday an excited crowd had gathered at the Palais Bourbon. When the proceedings began the strangers' galleries were full, and hardly a place on the floor of the house was vacant. The absence of M. Bourgeois, ex-minister of justice, who was defending himself on the witness stand at the assize court, delayed the attack which the Boulangists and royalists were ready to make upon the government. Nobody, however, left the chamber. All sat there patient and expectant, awaiting the coming of the fallen minister from the court room.

Eventually M. Bourgeois entered the chamber and took his seat, a short distance from the ministerial bench. The business in hand was speedily finished and Armand Despres, republican deputy for the Seine, made the interpellation of which he had already given notice concerning the government's knowledge of M. Souinary's interview with Mme. Cottu. The testimony given by Mme. Cottu he said had shaken the whole republican party. It indicated that things had been concealed which should not have happened, or if they had happened should have been brought to light at once by those in power. The enemies of the republic had found in Mme. Cottu's testimony excuse for accusing the government of smothering the investigation of the Panama scandal when possible and when not possible to utilize it for political purposes. The necessity for a frank statement was apparent to all. Had not the government instructed M. Souinary in his course with Mme. Cottu.

M. Cavanac, deputy for the Satche, was received with cheers as he entered the speaker's tribune. He defined briefly the peculiar position into which the government had been brought by Mme. Cottu's testimony, and exhorted the ministers, as they valued the prosperity of the republic, to speak out fearlessly the whole truth. If the charges made by Mme. Cottu were true, he said, then the sooner the truth was told the better, for the possibility for such things as those related on Saturday in the court of assizes would betray a state of affairs too abominable to be endured.

When M. Bourgeois, pale, though self-possessed, walked to the speaker's tribune, the hush of anxiety was almost painful. He began huskily, but quickly cleared his throat and shouted: "Those charges are absolutely false. I have been in court, and have answered everything. I now have the right to hold up my head. There is nobody to gainsay it."

After the applause and cheers subsided M. Bourgeois repeated much of the statement which he had just made in court.

M. Ribot said that M. Bourgeois had vindicated his own honor. He himself would now vindicate the honor of the government. The story by M. Cottu, he said, when not false was distorted.

M. Loubet had told the premier that M. Souinary had been requested by an intermediary to grant an interview to Mme. Cottu.

M. Souinary had understood that M. Cottu wished merely to ask that she might be allowed to see her husband.

M. Loubet had authorized M. Souinary to receive her, supposing that she had no other business in view than arranging to visit M. Cottu. Recently Mme. Cottu had requested that she be allowed to have an interview with the prefect of police. Was this another subterfuge? Did this woman wish to lay a trap for the prefect?

A storm of protestations of "Shame" and "Falsehood!" from the Boulangists and royalists rendered inaudible the premier's words. The Boulangist deputy Millevye, shaking his fist at M. Ribot, shouted: "Is that French honor? I refuse to listen to such calumnies against a woman. Your action is a disgrace to the French tribunal and shames yourself."

During the applause and cheers following this outbreak several other Boulangists rose and pointed to the premier, and called to him to take back his words. M. Ribot waited patiently until the disorder was over, and said he would be remiss in no duty. Perhaps if the government had not lent itself to so many compromises it would not now have so many enemies. It had devoted itself earnestly and honestly to the best interests of the republic which was now being assailed. The republican party must remember that attacks now directed against the government were intended to shake republican institutions in France, and men who caused the disruption which had been twenty years in maturing ought to rally in all loyalty to the ministry's support. This spectacle had lasted long enough, and it was the government's duty to cease temporizing and strike at its roots.

Porquory de Boisserin, amid repeated interruptions from the right, said that Mme. Cottu's statement was undoubtedly part of a plot against the government.

Augustav Rivet, republican deputy for the Lesere, moved that the chamber, in the determination, let justice take its course and bring the truth forth to prove the declaration of the ministry.

This motion was accepted by M. Ribot, and was passed by a vote of 297 to 228.

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A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds If you have never used this Great Cough Medicine, one trial will convince you that is has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of throat, chest and lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottle free at King & Wood's drugstore. Large bottles 50c and $1.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Lynn, Mass., suffered from a $100,000 fire yesterday.

—Mr. Gladstone went to bed yesterday with a slight cold.

—The flood in the Hudson river is highest than since 1883.

—No decision was given in the Carlyle W. Harris case yesterday.

—No nominations were sent to the senate by the president yesterday.

—The vice-president has appointed W. S. Daniels his stenographer.

—A severe snowstorm from the northwest raged in Wisconsin yesterday.

—The water in the Grand river in Michigan is the highest for thirty years.

The boycott on the Ann Arbor road was lifted, yesterday, pending a conference.

—Harry Kernell, the comedian, is dying at the Bloomingdale (N. J.) asylum.

—Ex-President Harrison is duck hunting at Havana, Ill., in company with Col. Boyd.

—Ice gorges and resulting floods are doing vast damage to towns along the Mohawk river.

—Since his return from Washington Gen Harrison's health and spirits have been excellent.

—The supposed murderer of Mary Montgomery, of Pullman, Ill., is under arrest at Sheridan, Ind.

—A howling blizzard, succeeding warm, springlike weather, was reported from Michigan yesterday.

—Princess Kaiulani and suite attended services at the Episcopal church in Washington twice on Sunday.

—Justice Jackson was yesterday assigned to duty on the circuit over which the late Justice Lamar presided.

—The second reading of the Irish home-rule bill in the British parliament will be postponed until after Easter.

—First Comptroller Matthews yesterday "construed" $10,000 from the World's fair appropriation for the department board.

—The democratic senate caucus committee on committees met again yesterday immediately after the adjournment of the senate.

—Serafino Delcarlo, an Italian murderer confined in the jail at Marshall, Mich., committed suicide by hanging in his cell, Sunday night.

—Secretary Carlisle yesterday dismissed ten temporary clerks from the second auditor's office, owing to the exhaustion of the appropriation.

—All danger from the flood at Port Deposit, Md., is averted The water is receding from the streets, and the people are returning to their homes

—W. H. Taylor, a negro barber of St. Louis, shot and killed Tobe Carlisle, a colored railroad porter, whom he suspected of adultery with his wife.

—China is preparing to fight for her possessions in the Pamir for the cession of which to Russia the late Chinese minister to St. Petersburgh is to be executed.

—A heavy snowstorm, with violent wind, prevailed, yesterday, throughout the northwest, including Montana, North and South Dakota, Minneapolis and Wisconsin.

—By an explosion of mine gas in the Whitesell mine near Perryapolis, Pa, yesterday, ten men were injured, six of them so seriously that their recovery is doubtful.

—Daniel Nelson, once a member of the German emperor's body guard, and a veteran of the Mexican war, suicided at his home in Fresh-Pond, N. Y., Saturday night.

—The Atkinson House-Furnishing Co. of Boston, with fourteen branch houses in other New England cities, assigned yesterday, with liabilities placed at $1,500,000 and $3,000 000 assets.

—The plant of the Sheridan White Sand Co., located at Sheridan, Ill., was entirely destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The loss is estimated at $35,000; insurance, $8 500.

—In answer to a question by Congressman Dockery, of Missouri, Mr. Cleveland yesterday denied the report that he proposed to discriminate against newspaper men in the distribution of offices.

—The appeal and petition for a special allocatur in the case of the Commonwealth vs Hugh Dempsey, the convicted Homestead poisoner, has been filed in the supreme court of Pennsylvania.

—Joseph Esserb, 22 years old, yesterday shot and seriously injured Annie Shea, aged 28, an inmate of a Detroit (Mich.) house of ill-fame. He then placed the revolver to his right ear and blew his brains out. The girl may recover.

—The young woman who registered at the Colman house in New York, Saturday evening as "Mrs. F. Carter, St. Louis," and suicided Sunday by drinking laudanum, was yesterday identified as Miss Leonida Cozzens, 18 years old, of New York city.

—The United States supreme court yesterday decided the letter-carrier eight-hour cases in favor of the carriers, who can recover for overtime for work in the office or on their routes, for any particular day, regardless of less time put in on Sundays or other days.

THE ANN ARBOR STRIKE ENDED.

A Decree of the Federal Court Too Strong for the Brotherhood.

TOLEDO, O., March 13.—It is apparent to-night that the strike has fallen through and that the difficulty will be satisfactory adjusted within the next twenty-four hours. Chief Arthur arrived here early this morning, and with his assistant, Youngson, and Chief Sargent has been in conference all day with the strikers and Railroad Commissioner Kirby.

After learning what concessions the brotherhood were willing to make to the Ann Arbor road, Mr. Kirby consulted J. M. Ashley, the president of the road, and, after a lengthy interview, gave out that the men will return to work to-morrow, not stating, however, on what terms the settlement would be made.

The Ann Arbor brought in some freight to-day for the Lake Shore, which was received as usual, but on account of the washouts up the line the traffic has been light. The sudden retrogression of the brotherhood is attributed to the order issued by the federal court at Cleveland on Saturday, obliging all railroads and employes thereof to receive and convey freight from the Ann Arbor road.

To Impeach Nebraska State Officers.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 14.—Representative Irwin, of Platte county, a populist member of the legislature, is credited with having prepared a resolution for introduction in the house at the earliest opportunity providing for the appointment of a committee to draft articles of impeachment against the different state officers comprising the board of public lands and buildings. The resolution is the outgrowth of scandals affecting the management of the penitentiary and other state institutions which come under the supervision of the board. Representative Irwin has taken an active part in pushing the work of investigation now in progress by the legislative committee.

Two Telegraph Linemen Drowned.

LOCKHAVEN, Pa., March 14.—John Joyce, of Braddock, Pa, and John Maroney, of Pine station, this county, were drowned in the river a short distance west of this city yesterday. They were telegraph linemen and engaged in stringing a wire across the river when the boat upset.

Mothers' Recommendation.

We are acquainted with many mothers in Centerville who would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house for a good many times its cost, and are recommending it every day. From personal experience we can say that it has broken up bad colds for our children.—Centerville, South Dakota, Citizen. 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

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SUDDEN VENGEANCE.

Shot His Father's Assassin in Open Court.

SEQUEL TO A COLD-BLOODED MURDER

Committed at Hermitage (Tenn.) Toll Gate, Two Months Ago, by the Winters Brothers—Fatal Result of a Game of Bluff.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 14.—At 1 o'clock yesterday, in the court room Tom Jones shot and mortally wounded Joe Winters, who was on trial for the murder of Jones' father.

Two shots intended for Winters struck John Thorp in the throat and shoulder, seriously, if not fatally, wounding him.

Winters and a brother assaulted Jones' father at the Hermitage toll gate at midnight some two months ago, calling him to his door and shooting him dead. The Winters were being tried yesterday, and, being desperadoes, had their gang here to back them. The quarrel was forced on young Jones by Winters, who tried to bluff him from testifying. The court was in session at the time, and Jones gave himself up to Judge Anderson. Three shots struck Winters. The greatest excitement prevailed.

THE FLOOD AT GRAND RAPIDS.

The River Still Rising and Spreading Devastation Everywhere.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 13.—The Grand river is rising at the rate of two inches an hour to-night, and at 11 o'clock was 16 feet 8 inches above low-water mark. The major portion of South Grand Rapids, which is built on the flats, is inundated, and persons were removed from the houses in boats. At this point the river is a mile wide, and the loss will be heavy, falling on the poor Hollanders employed in the furniture factories. Efforts are being made to save the Chicago & West Michigan bridge, a gang of men working all day to anchor it. The flood finally cut through the Chicago & West Michigan roadbed, and there is now six feet of water in Gunnison swamp.

A portion of the city is in total darkness to-night. The electric plant is partially submerged, and will be forced to cut off all power on the system.

The Canal-street gravel road is submerged in spots and North park is wholly under water. Comstock park, the finest racing grounds in the state, and one of the finest tracks in the country, is inundated. In the stables the water reaches the manger.

All the factories at the north end report heavy losses of logs and lumber. On South Waterloo street the inmates of the dives were forced to vacate when the water flooded the first story. The old Ada toll-bridge, one of the oldest structures across Grand river, went out this morning. Many merchants report flooded basements, and to-night gangs of men and teams are working to save the stocks. Report has just reached here that the North Park railroad bridge, three miles above the city, has gone out. If this is true it will take the Canal-street toll bridge. A heavy rain is falling and grave fears are felt as an ice jam is reported twelve miles down the river.

THE FLOOD IN THE GRAND

Reaches Its Highest Point at Ionia—Rising at Grand Rapids.

IONIA, Mich., March 13.—It is now believed that the water has reached its highest point at this place. Forty families have been driven out of their homes on the flats. Trains are now making regular time, though with much difficulty. The break in the Detroit, Lansing & Northern track at Portland has been repaired.

The ice gorge above Muir has slowly gone to pieces and passed down stream. The water at Muir has fallen fifteen inches and is still going down.

A dispatch from Grand Haven, near the mouth of Grand river, says the river there is rapidly rising and dock owners are preparing for a flood. The river is clear at the mouth, but large fields of ice are coming down.

A farmhouse, near Nortonville was washed away and its occupants narrowly escaped with their lives.

Won His Suit Against His Daughter, the Countess.

DENVER, Col., March 14.—The claims of John Shevnin against the estate of his daughter, Countess Cassell, for $78,000, was allowed by the jury in the county court yesterday morning. The claim is for managing the large estate, amounting to $500,000, for the past twelve years. Miss Shevnin went to Europe, remaining there several years, and marrying Count Cassell. For about twelve years Mr. Shevnin had charge of his daughter's property in Denver, which is now valued at about $600,000. Some of the testimony was to the effect that the countess had agreed to give her father one-half of the increase in the value. Some of this property is located in the best part of the city.

Crushed to Death Under a Falling Building.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A portion of the wall of an old building in course of reconstruction, at 71 and 73 Twenty-second street, fell down yesterday afternoon, crushing A. C. Briggs, a carpenter, to death. Contractor A. B. Burchard and his stepson, who had secured a building permit, were arrested.

A New Form of Prohibitory Tariff.

CITY OF MEXICO, March 14.—Although President Diaz decrees the free importation of maize and beans for an indefinite period, the high railway rates it is said will check importation.

The Tennessee Breeders' Inaugural Sale.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 14.—The Tennessee breeders' inaugural sale began yesterday. Seventy-three animals were disposed of for $10,719. None brought as much as $500.

FOR SALE—Five lots in Riverside, in blocks 5 and 6 will trade for Kansas land. Inquire of S. THOMPSON, 237 E Marietta St. m14-d1w*

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Cyrus B. Prescott, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Cyrus B. Prescott, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the May term, on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 14th day of March, 189[illegible]. ALLEN T. WHITSEL, Administrator.

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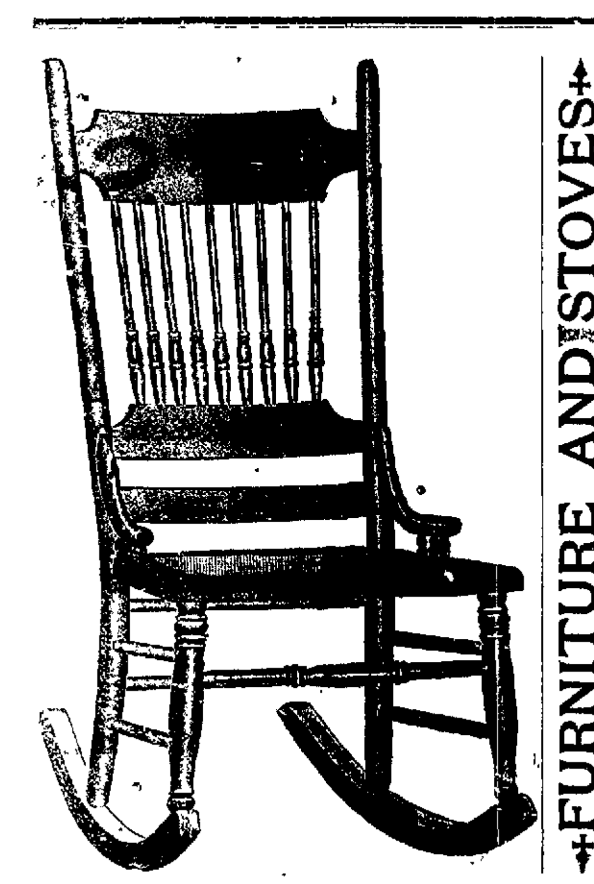

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TUESDAY EVE., MAR. 14, 1893.

It will become the duty of Editor Hoke Smith as secretary of the interior to refuse men office because they are editors.

President Cleveland, having received all the service he desires from Democratic newspapers, has proceeded to make political eunuchs of the whole lot.

The appointment of Senator Voorhees to the chairmanship of the senate finance committee and ex-Governor Gray to the Mexican mission are sure to become notorious. The former was never accused of knowing anything about finances and was never able to manage his own financial affairs to the satisfaction of his creditors, and the latter it is said never had the ability while governor of his state to write his own state papers.

A Democratic paper says the suggestion made by Secretary Gresham, that the Hawaiians should be allowed to vote on the question of annexation, is a good one. That may be, but we would like to know whether, in the opinion of Mr. Gresham, the Hawaiians can vote for annexation "without becoming Democrats." If they can do so, they are on the same high plane Gresham is, and the Democratic kick against annexation should promptly stop.

The St. Louis *Post-Dispatch* (Dem.) says: "The principal use of state legislatures seems to vote privileges to corporations and protect them from popular indignation." Yet the same paper, with all those in its class, are howling themselves hoarse over what they call the encroachment of congress and the national administration upon the rights of states in matters of legislation. The truth is that the rights of the people are always safer in the hands of congress than in the hands of the average state legislature.

Carter H. Harrison will never be defeated for mayor of Chicago by any such makeup as an independent or people's ticket. Put that down. The only chance to defeat him is to put a clean business Republican ticket in the field, and ask those who are independently inclined to take their choice between Carter Harrison and the gang and the Republican ticket. Those who fear Carter and his gang would not hesitate to support a clean Republican ticket. If they could not be induced to do this for self-protection, they could not be depended upon to support an independent ticket unless it was headed by a Democrat; and in that case thousands of Republicans would not vote it.

On President Cleveland's theory that because the Democratic press charged President Harrison with an attempt to subsidize the press by the appointment of Whitelaw Reid and other newspaper men to office, therefore he would lay himself open to the same charge, would be just as applicable to Democratic leaders who got their cue from the Democratic press and repeated the allegation. Mr. Cleveland also lays himself open to a similar charge by appointing those to office who charged that President Harrison favored the robbery of the people by advocating a protective tariff, and who are now opposed to carrying out the provisions of the Democratic party platform as to free trade, and is himself guilty of refusing the people relief by failing to call an extra session of congress to repeal the protective tariff laws.

A Parallel.

The voluntary appearance at Caddo, I. T., on Friday, of Charles Loring, a Choctaw Indian, who was condemned to death by shooting by the court, has brought out the following statement as to a peculiar characteristic of the Choctaw Indians:

"Full-blooded Choctaws convicted of murder are never restrained of their liberty between the date of conviction and the date of execution. They are released on parole and there has not been a day since Loring was convicted that he could not have left the country. There is only one case on record where a condemned man did violate his parole. Jackson Fletcher was convicted of murder in the first degree fifteen months ago, and on the day of execution he did not show up. His name is cursed in every household in the Choctaw Nation to-day, and his relatives consider themselves disgraced by him."

This is certainly a remarkable trait of character in the Choctaw Indians and has but one parallel. Strange as it may seem that parallel is furnished by the Democratic party. Since the days of Andrew Jackson no full-blooded Democrat elected to the office of President of the United States has failed to appoint nothing but full-blooded, yard-wide Democrats to office. This has been done without placing any sort of espionage over his movements at any time during his official period. As in the case of the Choctaws, where there was but one man who violated this confidence, and because he did so was cursed in every Choctaw household, so in the Democratic party there is but one man—President Cleveland—who has violated the trust reposed in him by his party. He, like the Choctaw, who let precedent and tribal obligation go and looked out for himself, has had his "picture turned toward the wall" in many a Democratic home.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, March 13, 1893.

One of the most difficult roles ever attempted by a public man is that of setting himself up as being better than his party. This the friends of Mr. Cleveland have persistently done for him ever since his entrance into national politics, and the claims of his worshipers about his having refused to make one single promise during the last campaign have been louder than ever since his last inauguration. Well, the idol has been shattered, and in view of the whole world. One of the most prominent nominations to office he has made—ex-Gov. Gray, of Indiana, to be minister to Mexico—was the result of a bargain made at the Chicago convention, not, it is true, by Mr. Cleveland in person, but by his personal representative in that convention, Hon. W. C. Whitney, of New York. The terms of this bargain were that Gov. Gray was to withdraw as a presidential candidate and throw the Indiana delegation to Mr. Cleveland; and in return was either to have a place in the cabinet or a first-class foreign mission, if Cleveland was nominated and elected. That bargain has now been carried out by Mr. Cleveland, just as any other politician would have carried it out, and it is time there was a cessation of the talk about his being better than his party.

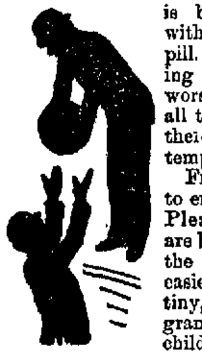
Those close to the administration say that the withdrawal of the Hawaiian annexation treaty from the senate does not indicate that Mr. Cleveland is opposed to annexation. They say that he thinks a more satisfactory treaty can be negotiated, and they predict that the new treaty will be negotiated and sent to the senate before the present extra session comes to a close. In other words, if these gentlemen be correct in their statements, the principal objection to the treaty was that it was negotiated by a Republican, instead of a Democratic administration.

The Democrats may not be inclined to favor the makers of "moonshine" whisky, but official figures show that Mr. Cleveland's first administration collected $51,095,682.04 less from internal revenue than the administration of President Arthur did, and $115,385,524.73 less than was collected during President Harrison's administration. This was a little queer, wasn't it?

Representative Henderson, of Iowa, predicts that the Fifty-second Congress will go down to posterity as "the know-nothing and do-nothing congress," and indications are plenty that the Fifty-third Congress, which will be controlled by Democrats in both branches, will rival if not surpass it in knowing nothing and and doing nothing.

There has been a red-hot though not a public fight over the re-organization of the senate. It is not entirely over yet, but it has gone far enough to show that Mr. Cleveland has been defeated in his attempt to have the committee on finance made up in the interest of his own financial ideas and against silver. Senator Vorhees, a pronounced silver man, will be its chairman, and a majority of its members will be silver men.

THE GETTING IT DOWN



is bad enough, with the ordinary pill. But the having it down is worse. And, after all the disturbance, there's only a little temporary good.

From beginning to end, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are better. They're the smallest and easiest to take—tiny, sugar-coated granules that any child is ready for. Then they do their work so easily and so naturally that it lasts. They absolutely and permanently *cure* Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, Sick and Bilious Headaches, and all derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels.

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While Queen Victoria is in Venice she will stay at the Rezzonico Palace, on the Grand Canal. This palace, which is an immense building, is owned by Barrett Browning. Robert Browning died there. It is the only Venetian private residence that has an elevator.

Do You Know It.

A common cough is the most dangerous thing in the world to neglect; a slight hacking cough is also very dangerous, as it always leads to Bronchitis and Consumption. Don't neglect them. In selecting a remedy for coughs, colds and Bronchitis, be sure and get one that is not full of Opium and one that will not produce Constipation. Ballard's Horehound Syrup does not constipate, remember this. It is perfectly harmless for children, and it's the most soothing and healing Throat and Lung medicine in the world. In cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs, tickling in the throat and greatly strengthens the Lungs after Pneumonia. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4d&w

The dowager duchess of Marlborough, formerly Mrs. Hammersley of New York, is negotiating for the purchase of Aldermaston Park, near Reading, England, an estate of 2,500 acres. It is said to be one of the most desirable estates in Great Britain.

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Lady Henry Somerset, who is going to start a paper which is to be the organ of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, says she will call it the *Herald*, that being the best name for a paper, in her estimation.

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The world is better because of such a remedy as Ballard's Snow Liniment, because this article relieves it of much pain and misery, and thus we are enabled to enjoy its bright side. It positively cures all forms of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, Sick Headache, Lame Back, all Sores and Wounds, Cuts, Sprains, Bruises, Stiff Joints, Contracted Muscles, Poison, Eruptions, Corns, Weak Back, and all pain and inflammation on man or beast. Its the best because its the most penetrating. Beware of all white Liniments, which may be palmed off on you for Ballard's Snow Liniment. There is none like it. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 4-d&w

A Chicago man advocates the building of a fifty story apartment house, to be called the "Interstellar," as the crowning achievement of the World's Fair year.

Bad complexion indicates an unhealthy state of the system. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pills that will correct this condition. They act on the liver, they act on the stomach, they act on the bowels. W. F. Neisler.

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For the State Encampment G. A. R. and Women's Relief Corps, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets from all stations in Illinois to Springfield and return at one and one-third fare. Tickets will be sold March 12, 14 and 15, good returning up to and including March 18. For any information desired, write or apply to C. A. POLLOCK, P. & T. A. Wabash R. R. Decatur, Ill. m9-1w

Notice to the Legal Voters of Decatur Township, Macon County, State of Illinois.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
MACON COUNTY, } ss.
Town of Decatur. }

The legal voters of the town of Decatur, Macon county, and state of Illinois, will take notice and they are by the corporate authorities and officers of said town hereby notified that on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1893, a petition of ten legal voters of said town of Decatur, resident therein, was presented to the said corporate authorities and officers of the said town of Decatur which petition is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

To H. F. May, supervisor, John Nicholls, town clerk, and William L. Hammer, justice of the peace, of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois:

Whereas, On the 25th day of September, A. D., 1873, the corporate authorities of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois, did issue $25,000 in bonds bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, due in twenty years from date, which said bonds were issued to the Decatur & Monticello Railroad company, and

Whereas, The said bonds become due and payable on the 25th of September, A. D. 1893, and

Whereas, It is desirable to have said bonded indebtedness refunded at a lower rate of interest.

Now therefore, we, the undersigned, legal voters of said township, and resident therein, do hereby petition you to submit to the voters of said township at the general annual township election to be held on the first Tuesday of April, 1893, the question of issuing bonds to refund the said outstanding bonds as provided by Chapter 113 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act to Enable Counties, Cities, Towns, Townships, School Districts, and Other Municipal Corporations to Fund, Retire and Purchase Their Outstanding Bonds, or Other Evidence of Indebtedness, and to Provide for Registration of New Bonds or Other Evidences of Indebtedness, in the Office of the Auditor of Public Accounts." Approved and in force February 16th, 1865.

I. R. Mills.	D. C. Shockley.
A. H. Mills.	C. L. Griswold.
E. K. Gibson	I. W. Ehrman
G. M. Wood	Harry Midkiff
W. F. Calhoun.	Jerry Donahue.
B. K. Hamsher.	C. L. Jones.
J. J. H. Young.	J. M. Clark.

Now, therefore, the said legal voters of said town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, will further take notice, and they are by the said corporate authorities of the said town of Decatur hereby further notified that in pursuance of the terms, conditions and prayers of the said petition, and as provided by chapter 113 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Illinois, entitled "An act to enable counties, cities, towns, townships, school districts, and other municipal corporations to fund, retire and purchase their outstanding bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, and to provide for registration of new bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, in the office of the Auditor of Public Accounts." Approved and in force February 16, 1865.

That the question of issuing the bonds as set forth in the said petition and statements in writing, will be submitted to the said legal voters of the said town of Decatur at the general annual township election, to be held on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893, at the several voting precincts in said town.

That the number of bonds proposed to be issued is fifteen. That the bonds to be issued shall be of the third class as designated by said act and to consist of a graduated series, the first grade to consist of six bonds of one thousand dollars ($1,000) each, and numbered from one to six, inclusive; bond No 1 due in one year from date of issue, No. 2 in two years from date of issue, and thus through the grade. The second grade to consist of eight bonds of two thousand dollars each, numbered from seven to fourteen, inclusive; No 7 due at the end of seven years from the date of issue; No. 8 at the end of eight years, and thus to the end of the grade. The third grade to consist of one bond of three thousand dollars, numbered fifteen, due at the end of 15 years from the date of issue, said above mentioned bonds to bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, interest payable semi-annually, on the 15th of January and July of each year, and to be payable at the agency of the State Treasurer of the State of Illinois, in the City of New York, and at the times specified in this notice, and to be of the class as provided by law and as so specified in this notice, and to be issued for the purpose of funding the bonds heretofore issued by the said town of Decatur to the Decatur and Monticello Railroad Company.

H. F. MAY, Supervisor
JOHN NICHOLLS, Town Clerk.
W. H. SHORB,
WM. L. HAMMER,
A. C. STEVENS,
m14-d20t Justices of the Peace.

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REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION.

A Republican City Convention will be held at the new Court House in Decatur on

Friday, March 24, 1893,

at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices: Mayor, City Clerk, City Attorney and City Treasurer, to be voted for at the City Election, to be held on Tuesday, April 18, 1893, and also to elect a City Central Committee. The ward representation in said Convention will be one delegate for every 20 votes cast for W. B. Chambers for Mayor in 1891 and one for each fraction of 10 votes and over, and will be as follows:

1st Ward	12	Delegates
2d "	17	"
3d "	19	"
4th "	9	"
5th "	9	"
6th "	7	"
7th "	14	"
Total	87	Delegates.

By order of the Decatur City Central Committee.

F. L. HAYS, Chairman.

W. F. CALHOUN, Secretary.

The Republicans of the several wards of the city of Decatur are requested to meet on Thursday evening, March 23, 1893, at 7:30 o'clock, at the places hereinafter designated, for the purpose of selecting the number of delegates each ward is entitled to in the City Convention to be held in the new court house Tuesday evening, April 18, 1893, at 7:30 o'clock; and also to place in nomination one candidate for Alderman in each ward, to be voted for at said city election The places for the ward conventions are as follows:

1st Ward—Street car barn
2d Ward—Council chamber.
3d Ward—Duske's wagon yard, West Wood street.
4th Ward—J. M. Clokey's office.
5th Ward—Craft's Bottling Works, East Eldorado street.
6th Ward—Andrews' grocery store, corner Warren and Edmond streets.
7th Ward—Hendricks' shop.

By order Decatur City Ward Committeemen of City Central Committee.

1st Ward—C. M. Lytle.
2d Ward—H. W. Bartholomew.
3d Ward—Harry Midkiff.
4th Ward—Adam Seeforth.
5th Ward—Ed. Wills.
6th Ward—P. J. Dempsey.
7th Ward—Geo. F. Bell.

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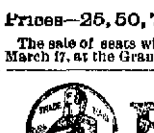

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of an order issued from the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to sell real estate to pay debts, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Casper Burg, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, at the hour of 10 a. m., on Saturday, April 1, 1893, the following described premises to-wit: Lot seventeen of block one, in James A. Steele's addition to Macon, Macon county, Illinois. Terms cash. Sale of said premises being in fee absolute, subject to the approval of said county court.

Dated at Macon, Ill., this 24th day of February, 1893.

HIRAM A. KITCH,
127 d4w Administrator.

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For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

FOR RENT—A house of four rooms in northeast part of city, within one block of street cars; rent, $8 per month; reference required. Apply to ROBT. FARIES, 521 E. Eldorado St. m14-d1w*

FOR SALE—A four-room house on West Packard street and a lot on North Church street. Enquire soon of Ben Nighswander at 704 West Packard St. mar14-d1w*

FOR SALE—Farm and city property.—Loans and insurance placed at lowest current rates in reliable companies WM. M BALDRIDGE, 146 East Main street. mar13

FOR SALE—1,000 pounds prime new geese feathers in bulk; also made into pillows. Remember we are wholesale dealers and headquarters in that line, if you want feathers call and see us; we also renovate feathers. W. D. CHAMBERLAIN & CO., Library Block. 11 d6

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WANTED—To buy a cheap two or three room house that can be moved to another lot. Inquire at house next to and just west of the James Millikin residence. m10-d1w*

NURSE GIRL WANTED. Apply to C. A. ZAGER, at Hotel Long. 7 d1w

IF YOU USE TABLEWARE, see Aluminum Sliver—solid metal goods, equal to solid silver in finish and durability, at one-eighth the cost. The Western Aluminum Silver Co., L. C. BOGART, Agt., Hotel Long. m6-d1w*

FOR SALE—One imported Clydesdale stallion—Barleycorn, one seven year old Regalia mare, with standard bred colt by her side by the Dr. May horse; two large five-year old geldings. These are partnership horses and must be sold. They will be sold cheap for cash or good note. Apply to J. R. RACE or LEWIS BISHOP. mar8 d2w.w1

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WANTED—A competent girl for general housework and cooking; no washing or ironing or children. MRS. S. BURGESS, 225 North Edward St., city. m4 d6

LOST—A pocket ledger, which the finder will please return to DR. N. D. MYERS, in the Syndicate Block. m4-d6

SEALED BIDS.—Proposals for building of frear stone or concrete walks in front of the Macon County Court House will be received by the Building Committee at the office of W. H. Starr, 333 North Main street, Decatur, up to and including Tuesday, March 14, 1893, at 4 o'clock p. m. A copy of the specifications for said work can be had on application at the above office. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids. W. H. STARR, Chairman Committee on Public Buildings. feb28-d2w

C. A. FOSTER—Teacher of piano playing, high grade instruction, elementary and advanced. Endorsed by distinguished artists. Office (March 1) and music room over Dr. Waltz dental parlors, North Main street. 27d1m

FOR SALE—Fire proof Safe at a bargain. 135 South Water street. GEO. M. WOOD. feb21-d1w

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COMPETENT Spanish teacher. Address No 343 West Macon street, Decatur, Ill. jan25-dtf

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Notice to Holders of Time Warrants.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } To whom it may con-
COUNTY OF MACON } cern.

Notice is hereby given to present for payment at the County Treasurer's office in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the 20th day of March, 1893, all outstanding time warrants issued in part payment for the construction of a court house in said county. Interest on said warrants will cease from and after that date.

H. C. MONTGOMERY,
County Treasurer.

Decatur, Illinois, February 18, 1893.-d30d

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received up to 11 o'clock a. m. March 18th, at the office of the County Clerk for the construction of the stone piers and wing walls for a bridge across Mosquito Creek, 2½ miles south of Boody. Specifications are on file with County Clerk George P. Hardy. A bond will be required from the successful bidder. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. H. COPE,
m14-d10 For the Committee.

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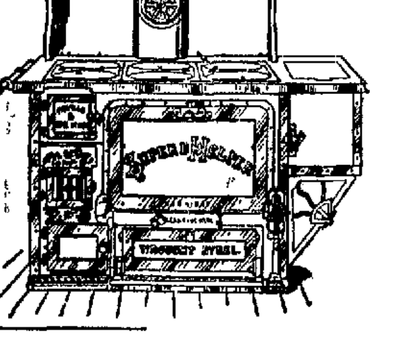

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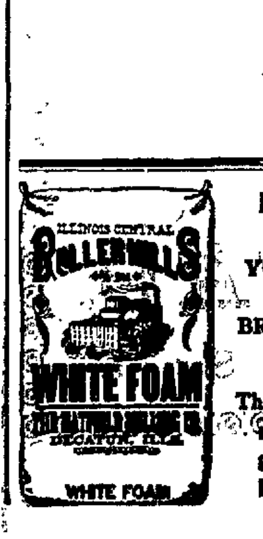

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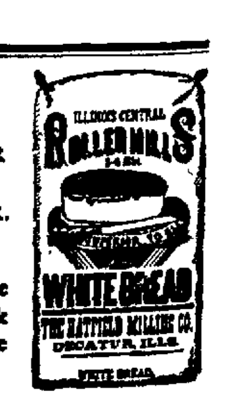

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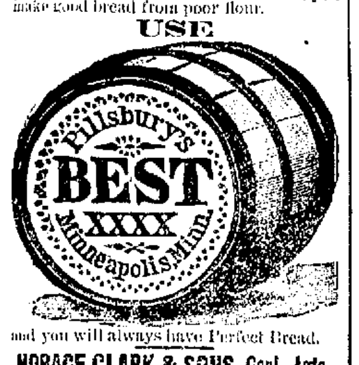

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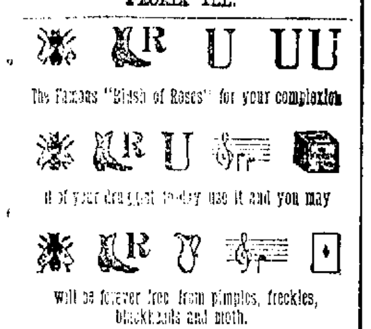
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Executor's Notice.

Estate of Emaline B. Wilson, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Emaline B. Wilson, late of the county of Oldham and state of Kentucky, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the May term on the first Monday in May next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1893.

LOWBER BURROWS,
feb21-d3w Executor.

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
MACON COUNTY, } ss.

To the heirs and creditors of the estate of E. F. Delbridge, sr., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 27th day of March, 1893, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will present his final report to the county court at Decatur, Ill., and ask to be discharged, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose to do so.

R. H. WOODCOCK,
m6-d2w Administrator.

ELECTION NOTICE

There will be an election of officers and directors of the Decatur Greenwood Cemetery held at the office of Albert Barnes, on South Water street, on Friday, March 17, 1893, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock p. m.

m9-dtd R. R. MONTGOMERY, Sec'y.

S. I. [illegible],
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over the Postoffice Decatur, Ill.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

In effect October 25, 1892.

WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 6:45 p m	No. 9 Pass....6:30 a m
No. 4 Pass....10:55 a m	No. 3 Pass....3:45 am
No. 44 Pass...11:05 a m	No. 43 Pass....4:05 a m
No. 42 Pass...10:15 p m	No. 45 Pass....2:05 p m
No. 2 Pass....12:35 p m	No. 5 Pass....2:55 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass....10:10 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:30 a m
No. 44 Pass....10:50 a m	No. 45 Pass.. 3:10 p m
No. 6 Pass... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass... 9:07 p m
No. 46 Acc.... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight11:55 a m	No. 71, Freight12:45 p m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT,	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT
No. 43 Pass... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass... 6:25 a m
No. 45 Pass... 1:50 p m	No. 44 Pass..11:10 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00p m	No. 42 Pass...10:22 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement10.55 a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement.. 3:15 p m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO,
No. 3 Pass.....3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass....12:45 a m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday.8:50 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:35 a m
No. 5 Pass.....2:50 p m	No. 4 Pass....11:15 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH	SOUTH.
No. 113 (Diamond Special).........1:12 a. m	No. 117 (Diamond Special)........2:48 a. m
No. 122 mail...8:23 a. m	No. 121 mail.10:25 a. m
No. 102 accom.2:50 p. m	No. 103 pass..5:20 p. m
No. 102 pass...9:20 p. m	No 103 way ft.9:10 a. m
No. 194 way ft.3:20 p. m	No. 701 (Havana Line) arrives....10:15 a. m
No. 702 (Havana Line) leaves.....3:15 p. m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass... 2:20 p m	No. 2 Pass....11:15 a m
No. 3 Pass... 3:55 a m	No. 4 Pass.. 10:20 p m
No. 7 Freight. 9:00 a m	No. 8 Freight.6:30 a m
No. 9 Freight. 8:00 p m	No. 10 Freight.4:20 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass...3:10 p m	No. 1 Pass...11:05 a m
No. 4 Pass... 8:55 a m	No. 3 Pass...10:15 p m
No. 30 Pass, Sunday only.........7:50 a m	No. 31 Pass, Sunday only.........9:00 p m
No. 14 Freight10:45 a m	No. 11 Freight 2:00 p m

VANDALIA LINE.

EAST.	WEST
No. 2 Pass.....3:00 p m	No. 1 Pass....11:35 a m
No. 4 Pass.....7:00 a m	No. 3 Pass.....7:05 p m
No. 6 Pass.....9:00 p m	No. 5 Pass.... 8:30 a m

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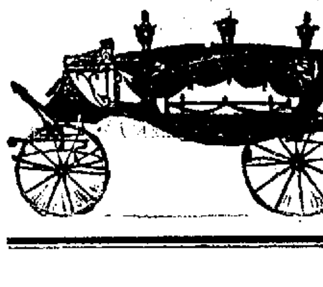

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Denz & Son, tailors.

Fresh oysters at Singleton's.

"Fogg's Ferry" to-night at the Grand.

Hand made wall paper received this week at Conklin & Housum's.

Irwin's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood.

Wall paper and window shades at Conklin & Housum's.

Fancy toilet articles at C. H. Dawson's Pharmacy, formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

Select table supplies and fruits at Philip Kemper's store, 757 North Water street.

Piles of people have piles, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. W. F. Neisler.

"Fogg's Ferry" will be presented to-night at the Grand by the Eunice Goodrich company.

The usual dancing party will be given to-night at Assumption with Prof. Leonard and his daughters in charge.

A little ill, then a little pill. The ill is gone, the pill has won. DeWitt's Little Early Risers the little pills that cure great ills. W. F. Neisler.

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Step in at C. B. Prescott's popular music store and see the fine display of new instruments. Prices low.

It is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform the cure, and are the best. W. F. Neisler.

The thanks of Mr. and Mrs. Will Schwartz are returned to their neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy during their bereavement.

In Justice Shorb's court yesterday Joe Wissen pleaded guilty to assaulting his wife and paid his fine. Mrs. Wissen has a black eye. Mrs. Hall was charged by Mrs. Wissen with using profane language. She paid a fine of $3 and costs

Capt. Will Bailey, of the night police force, at his home on North Main street, was doing a little carpenter work, and when he aimed a vigorous blow at the nail he hit the index knuckle of his left hand and broke a bone. Now he has his hand swathed in bandages.

The most intelligent people of our community recognize in DeWitt's Little Early Risers pills of unequaled merit for dyspepsia, headache and constipation. Very small, perfect in action. W. F. Neisler.

The Aid-de-Camp and the Cachuca will be two of the thrilling dances which will be given by the great Carmencita in the great New York comedy success, "The Prodigal Father" at the Grand Tuesday evening, March 21. These dances have taken New York sweldom by storm for the past three years.

Some months ago the Decatur church made an effort to secure the services of Rev. Gilliland, pastor of the Christian Church at Bloomington. He was offered a salary of $1800. He was getting $2000. Sunday last Rev. G's salary was raised to $2600, by the Bloomington people. He will stay there, where in five years through his efforts there have been 600 additions to the charge, making a total of 850.

Miss Nellie Calhoun, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the St. Nicholas Hotel office, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures. Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired. tf

Last night the members of the executive committee of the Decatur Christian Endeavor Union held a meeting at the Baptist church. It is proposed to have a union missionary meeting during the month of April. S. L. Mershon, of Chicago, will be invited to address the meeting. Misses Anna Henkle, Hattie J. Brown and Nettie Lindsay will extend the invitations. Misses Lillian Irwin and Anna Henkle will correspond and learn what can be done towards forming a county union. The Intermediate C. E. convention will be held at Montreal, Canada, in July. The president of the Decatur union will learn lowest railroad rates for Decatur and report.

Southern Land Excursions.

The winter does not consume what the summer produces in Mississippi and Alabama. Three Great Land Seekers' Excursions. At less than half rate to all points in Mississippi and Alabama, via the Mobile & Ohio R. R., on March 14th, April 11th, and May 9th. Tickets limited to 30 days allowing stop overs at all points south of the Ohio river. Thousands of acres of choice agricultural lands, for sale at low prices and on easy terms. Three crops a year, no cyclones, no blizzards, no sunstrokes. Through tickets at low rates can be had from any point. Call on your nearest ticket agent for particulars, or apply to F. W. Greene, Gen. Agt., M. & O. R. R., 108 North Broadway street, St. Louis, Mo. E. E. Posey, Acting Gen. Pass. Agt., Mobile, Ala., or F. A. LeForgee & Co., Land Agt. M. & O. R. R., Decatur, Ill. m6d10t

Horses Wanted.

I will be at the old stand on North Church street, Decatur, Ill., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 13, 14 and 15. Will buy a car load of horses for the New England market. Want some good blocky ones, from 1,000 to 1,400 pounds, and from 5 to 8 years old. Highest market price will be paid.

m7-d5w1 **Edwin Pratt.**

Don't Miss It.

If you do you will be the loser, for you can get Cut Glass at a price you cannot afford to miss at E. D. Bartholomew's.

THE LATE CHARLES M. BARNES.

Expression of the Macon County Bar on the Death of the Attorney.

Hon. C. A. Ewing, Edwin Park and Judge Nelson, representing the Macon county bar, have prepared the following expression of condolence, which will be spread upon the court records, a copy of the same engrossed and presented to the relatives of the deceased:

MEMORIAL ADOPTED BY THE BAR OF MACON COUNTY, ILL.

Charles M. Barnes, who died on the 9th day of March, A. D., 1893, was a member of the bar of Massachusetts, at Boston. He was born in Decatur, Ill., where he spent his youth. He was then studious and ambitious and passed through the course of instruction afforded by the public schools of the city with marked success. Afterwards he entered Phillips Academy at Andover, and making a reputation for high scholarship, completed the course there in 1873. He then entered Harvard University, took rank among the best students of his class and was graduated with honor in 1877. Immediately entering the law school of the same university he maintained the same high standard of excellence, and had already attracted attention to himself as a master of the science of law when he took his professional degree in 1880. He was soon honored in being chosen as one of the editors of the latest edition of "Kent's Commentaries" and justified the judgment of those by whom he was elected by discharging that difficult duty with marked ability and thoroughness.

He became an instructor in the Harvard law school and filled that arduous place well, adding to his ever increasing honors. He was already distinguished and was on the highway to eminence. He was engaged in the active practice of the law and by the exalted standard of the bench and bar of Massachusetts, he was successful. His learning, his literary skill, the readable strength and disciplined accuracy of the mind were the subjects of the highest commendation by the lawyers with whom he came in contact, and the judges before whom he practiced.

He was stricken down by disease and died before he reached the meridian of life. Although so learned he was yet a young man and a young lawyer.

We, the members of the bar in the city of his nativity, desire to give expression to our sense of his worth as a youth, a student, a man and a lawyer. His career has been an honor to the profession to which he belonged. His course should be an example, a stimulus, an encouragement to those who seek to be interpreters of the vast and complicated science of the law, the almost innumerable rules of human conduct, sanctioned and approved by the proper source of legal authority, as in harmony with the comparatively few and simple principles of unchanging justice.

In this difficult field of mental action, he, though young, was master of the situation. We honor him and thank him

As friends and fellow-citizens we tender to the wife, father, brothers and sister of this good and honorable man our heartfelt sympathy, and we offer this tribute of our personal and professional respect for him whose death they so deeply mourn.

Dr. Carr Dead.

Dr. R. F. Carr passed away last (Monday) evening, at his home in Argenta, death being caused by a complication of diseases, due to erysipelas. Dr. Carr was the eldest of a family of six children. He was born in Sussex county, N. J., May 13, 1832. By teaching he earned money enough to enable him to enter the academy at Goshen, N. Y. He entered the Albany medical college at Albany in 1853, took three courses and graduated in 1855. In 1856 he came to Illinois and began the practice of medicine in Friends Creek township. He was successful from the first. In 1866 he moved to Decatur, remaining three years and then returning to Friends Creek. After his return he put in a stock of drugs. On April 8, 1858, he married Miss Emily Smick. She survives him, together with nine children, as follows: Mrs. Aura Bricker, Dr. Edward of Aledo, Ill., Mrs. May Spear of Aurora, Dr. Charles of Dow City, Ia., Frank, George, Walter, Irene and Grace. Politically Dr. Carr was always a Democrat. His first presidential vote was cast for Stephen A. Douglas in 1860. The deceased accumulated a fortune of about $50,000. He was a brother-in-law of Aaron Smick, of this city.

Want Places Under Grover.

Among the Decatur Democrats who want Federal appointments by grace of Grover are the following:

Decatur postoffice—Editor Jerry Donahue of the Decatur *Daily Review*; ex-Postmaster S. S. Jack; I. W. Ehrman, retired merchant; Harry C. Scanlan, tailor; Major Williams, late of Mt. Zion, retired farmer; John R. Miller, capitalist. It is believed that Grover's rule about country editors being barred does not apply to Editor Donahue, because he lives in a big town, and if he gets the appointment he will be compelled to sever his connection with the *Review* and give his entire attention to the office.

U. S. Consul-applicants—Dundee, Scotland, George Johnston; Dresden, Hon. William Voorhies, jr.

United States assistant attorney general—Hon. W. E. Nelson, county judge.

Believed to be slated for an important position—Hon. C. A. Ewing, who is a relative of the vice-president.

There are also several applicants for minor appointments in the gift of district officials.

Prohibition Convention.

The Prohibitionists of Decatur township are requested to meet in convention at the W. C. T. U rooms on North Main street at 7 o'clock p. m., on Thursday, March 16, 1893, to determine whether or not a township ticket shall be nominated, and in case it shall be thought best to make nominations, to name candidates for the several offices. Please all come out. Do not fail to be present, and then complain at the course pursued, but come and aid in directing that course.

W. C. Outten, Township Chairman.
G. A. Henderson, Township Secretary.

A Free Lecture.

Prof. G. E. Morrow of the State University at Champaign will deliver his lecture "The Worlds' Fair as an Educator and how to see it," at the Presbyterian church this evening under the auspices of the Educational Union. The union will pay all expenses and invite the public to enjoy a pleasant and profitable evening with them free of charge.

Kyner-Cole.

The marriage of Arthur D. Kyner and Mabel Ruby Cole, was quietly solemnized last evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the bride's father, E. D. Cole in Macon, Rev. W. H. Illsley officiating. The groom is a son of Dr. Kyner, and both he and his bride are favorably known in this city. They will probably move to Decatur to reside.

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Supt. W. R. Bresie Claims No Credit in That Line.

To-day W. R. Bresie, whose territory as superintendent for the Pacific Express Company lies east of the Mississippi river, left for Holland, Mich., to represent the company in taking possession of $600 worth of goods bought with stolen money taken by a crooked agent. In January last Charles F. Kidd, then Pacific agent at Collinston, Utah, decamped with $5,000 and $3,000 in diamonds. He left for California with his wife, and finally showed up at Benton Harbor, telling his relatives there that he had made a lucky strike in California. He hung around for awhile, and finally went to Chicago, and bought $1,400 worth of hats, caps and gents furnishing goods to open a store at Holland, Mich. He had leased the store room and had paid $600 on the goods purchased. All the time he was making these preparations to engage in business, Kidd was shadowed by Pinkerton detectives. In fact they had not lost sight of him from the time he was in California living high on the money he had stolen. He was nabbed some days ago at Holland and taken to Utah to stand trial for his crime of robbery. He will go to the penitentiary.

Supt. Bresie will dispose of the goods in the store room at Holland. He had nothing to do with the capture of Kidd. The company's detectives do that work in every case of crookedness. In no case has Mr. Bresie acted in the capacity of a detective. Being the official head of the business in the territory east of the Mississippi river, Mr. Bresie is always called upon to hasten away in case of crookedness of agents or damage to look after company property, in no case to serve as a detective.

Coming.

Recently Robert Mantell the celebrated romantic actor and his company played an engagement in Boston, producing "The Face in the Moonlight." In this piece Mr. Mantell essays a dual character, two half-brothers, one a fine manly fellow, Victor, and officer in the Bourbon Army, the other is known as Rabat, a murderous villain. The characters are strongly drawn and at the hands of Mantell they create an impression which is lasting. The week following the Boston engagement, the company appeared at Lowell, and here is where the joke comes in. Two young Irish fellows passing the opera house chanced to glance at the play bills posted at the door. "Hello", said one of them, "Mantell is here to-night, I'm going in to see him, come on, I saw him last week in Boston and he's a dandy." "Is he a good actor Dan," asked the other. "Good actor is it, why he's one of the best in the world, but he has another fellow in the company named Rabit that can knock spots out of him." Mr. Mantell will be at the Grand next Monday night, March 20th.

A Noted Church Case.

The most comprehensive and complete abstract ever gotten up in Livingston county is that containing the record of the famous United Brethren in Christ church case, known in the courts as Kune et al. vs. Robertson et al. The case has been tried several times in the circuit court and now it is taken to the supreme court in the shape of a book of 740 closely printed full pages. The case is a noted one, as it involves theological, philosophical, legal and scientific questions which are of national importance. The outcome of this case will solve a bitter controversy among the liberal and radical factions of the United Brethren in Christ church. Both factions are after the property, and they decided to let the courts settle for them which one of them is entitled to it, hence they chose a church near Cornell, Livingston county, while the cases were being tried. All the Bishops and leaders of the two factions from all over the country were present and testified.

Odd Pieces of Silver.

Our annual sale of Odd Pieces of Silver will commence on Monday morning, March 13th. In this sale we offer Teapots, Coffee Pots, Sugars, Creamers, Syrup Cups, and the entire line of silver pieces which have become odd by the balance of the silver tea set selling, leaving only a piece or two in each pattern. We have made a special sale of these goods every year for six years, and much prefer to sell them at a sacrifice than match them up and show the same designs in tea sets again.

Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

Births.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hurst, 647 South Main street, Sunday, March 12—a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lawrence, West Green street, Sunday, March 12—a son.

To Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Leseman, Sunday, March 12—a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Large, 846 North Union street, Sunday, March 12—a daughter.

Political.

The Democratic township convention will be held at the council room Friday night. It is stated that Frank Watkins will be the nominee for assessor and A. O. Bolen for collector.

A conference of Prohibitionists will be held Thursday night at the W. C. T. U. room to determine whether or not candidates for township offices shall be nominated.

New Spring and Summer Goods

At the lowest prices and an endless variety to select from. Being my own cutter there is no house in the city can undersell me. Call and examine for yourself and have your clothes cut by the prize system. **James Veale,**
French Cutter from Cork, 337 North Water street. m10-d1w

In His Grave.

Tom Butterworth, the old English tailor, was buried to-day at the poor farm. He died Sunday night at the poor house. Tom had a shop under the Decatur National Bank until he became too feeble to work.

Got a Place.

James McKinley, of this city, has gone to Chester to assume his duties as guard in the penitentiary at that place. Jim will receive $65 a month, board and lodging, equal to $100 a month.

Kindergarten.

Kindergarten, 827 South Main street, Monday, March 6th, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Terms, 75c per week.

feb21-dtf **Mrs. W. J. Brown.**

PUGILISM DEAD AT NEW ORLEANS.

Possibility That No More Fights Will be Had in the Crescent City.

Pugilism is done for in New Orleans. The members of the Crescent City club will go in to their pockets and Fitzsimmons will not get his $37,500 to-morrow. He will get $15,000 or $20,000 in cash, all that is available, and good paper for the balance. There will be no more contests in the Crescent City club ring, and perhaps no more in that of the Olympic club, though the Bowen-Burke match is scheduled for the first week in April. The clubs will go at general athletics and rowing, and die unless their social sides are strong enough to bear the financial loss of such shows, which have long ago ceased to pay in richer towns than New Orleans. The women of the city are organizing an anti-pugilistic league, as they did an anti-lottery league, and to-day the leading papers editorially denounce the contests. The next legislature does not meet until May, 1894, and the city authorities are with the clubs. Both presidents, Noel and Dickson are members of the city council. But the best opinions here are that neither club will fly in the face of public opinion and that pugilism in New Orleans is done.

THE VERY LATEST.

A New Wrinkle in Men's Bifurcated Garments.

It is said that the very latest in the line of new things for gentlemen's wear is a pair of pantaloons with one leg four inches longer than its fellow. This is made so that the young men shall not be behind the young ladies in the matter of raising their clothing when they cross muddy streets. When a muddy crossing is reached, the young men reaches down and pulls up the slack in his pants leg and walks gracefully over. If he is a traveling man and carries two grips, then he has an instrument like unto that used by the fairer sex to hold up their trains. It is understood that a number of gentlemen of this city will appear in this style of costume as soon as it is warm enough to put on spring clothing. It is an innovation and will show the young ladies how they look crossing a muddy street.

Cut Glass.

Today begins our Special Sale of Cut Glass. We place in our Special Sale our entire line which is the largest in Central Illinois at Prices you cannot afford to pass by. Remember we carry the Finest line made which took the First Prize at the Paris Exposition.

E. D. Bartholomew.

Oreana Items.

J. P. Dilling was in Decatur Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Vulgamott is recovering from the mumps.

James Lichtenberger made a business trip to Decatur Saturday.

The wheat in this vicinity does not look very promising, but we cannot say as to the outcome.

Lute Ruddock, of Cerro Gordo, has opened a dry goods and grocery store at this place.

David Zinn is now a resident of our town.

Mrs. James Lichtenberger, Sr., was badly injured by a cow, the animal stepping on her in such a manner as to severely strain her ankle. She is slowly improving.

John Moothart was a Decatur visitor Thursday.

Charles Borchers will teach the summer school at the Kirby.

Thomas Pensinger and wife took dinner with James Lichtenberger, Jr., and family Sunday.

Charles Lichtenberger who has been quite sick is improving. Dr. Cass Chenoweth is attending him.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

Three days is a very short time in which to cure a bad case of rheumatism; but it can be done, if the proper treatment is adopted, as will be seen by the following from James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill.: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day; and would insist on every one who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

Mrs. Olive Thorne Miller, the well-known ornithologist, is going on a trip this spring to Utah, California and the Yellowstone Park in pursuit of her favorite study.

Deserving Praise.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. King & Wood Druggists.

Mrs. Gresham attends to a great deal of Judge Gresham's correspondence. She is fond of Washington, but likes it best when it is most deserted.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man

Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. Herbine will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver medicine. Price 75 cents. Free trial bottles at Swearingen & Tyler's. d&w

Though the Bishop of Chichester is 90 years of age he attends to all the duties of his office without a coadjutor.

Cholerine in Pennsylvania.

Swickley, Penn.: We had an epidemic of cholerine, as our physicians called it in this place lately and I made a great hit with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I sold four dozen bottles of it in one week and have since sold nearly a gross. This remedy did the work and was a big advertisement for me. Several persons who had been troubled with diarrhoea for two or three weeks were cured by a few doses of this medicine. P. P. Knapp, Ph. G.

25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler, Library Block druggist. d&w

Buggies, Buggies, Buggies.

When you want a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest.

The Spencer & Lehman Co.

The breaking up of the winter is the signal for the breaking up of the system. Nature is opening up the the pores and throwing off refuse. DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is of unquestionable assistance in this operation. W. F. Neisler.

Ex-Gov. William Cumback, of Indiana, is in the lecture field this winter. He discussed "The Model Husband" in Albany last week.

Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's. nov6-d&wtf

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 NORTH WATER STREET.

Our Great Sale

GOES MERRILY ON, CLOSING OUT

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING AND SHOES,

At such Prices as are Bound to Draw the People.

Some one jealous of our success, and worried so much, tried to have our advertising stopped and again asked to have our sign taken down. They next will want us to hang a curtain in front of our show windows and door to prevent the people from looking and coming into our store; but no, we can never do that; it wouldn't pay, and our customers would be disappointed, as we are building up a trade that we are proud of. Our goods speak for themselves and we turn away more pleased customers than any similar concern in our city.

Chas. T. Johnston,

151 North Water Street.

WATCH FOR THE DATE OF OUR
GRAND + OPENING.
CHEAP CHARLEY.

ODD PIECES

—OF—

+SILVER.+

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OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

We Respectfully Invite You to Our

EASTER ❋ OPENING

—OF—

Pattern Bonnets,

MARCH 23 TO 25.

COME AND SEE.

PITTENGER'S MILLINERY Parlor,

135 East Main Street.

WATER ❋ COLORS!

+By Celebrated Artists.+

NEW LOT JUST RECEIVED. Prices reasonable. Call and see them.

J. Edward Saxton

POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

GREAT BARGAINS!

WALTER HUTCHIN

Has inaugurated a grand Clearance Sale for the month of March, embracing a full and complete line of BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS preparatory to the arrival of an immense stock of Spring and Summer Footgear.

We Must Make Room for nis Big Stock that is in Transit.

We are selling the present stock out at LESS THAN THE RETAILER'S COST. So now is the time to buy, and

+WALTER HUTCHIN'S+

Is the place to buy.

117 NORH WATER STREET,

Sign of the Big Shoe.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

—OUR SYRUP OF—

Tar and Wild Cherry

IS THE BEST REMEDY ON THE MARKET FOR COUGHS, COLDS, ETC.

KING & WOOD,
Druggists.

TUESDAY EVE., MAR. 14, 1893.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CITY ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES E. SCHROLL as a candidate for City Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce E. S. McDONALD as a candidate for City Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican city convention.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES M. LEE as a candidate for City Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce LEWIS F. SKELLEY as a candidate for City Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican City Convention.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Everything Goes—
Salad bowls, berry bowls, nut bowls, bon-bon dishes, olive dishes, cheese plates, water bottles, water pitchers, cream pitchers and tumblers, all go in our Special Sale on Cut Glass.
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DENE & SON, tailors.

SMOKE the Cubanola cigar.

TAKE Irwin's iron tonic bitters.

READ Anstead's adv—first page.

THE Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417

POULTRY POWDER at Irwin's drug store.

THE Wabash pay car was here to-day.

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

IRWIN'S vegetable liver pills are the best.

HIGH art wall paper at Conklin & Housum's.

GROVER to ex-officeholders—"Tried and found wanting—still wanting."

PATRONIZE C. N. May, the grocer in Syndicate Block. All orders promptly filled.

ALL the leading patent medicines at C. H. Dawson's, successor to Swearingen & Tyler.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

CALL for the Joseph Michl Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are always good.

MORSE'S Indian Root Pills at Lincoln Square Pharmacy, formerly W. C. Armstrong.

THE Free Methodist camp meeting will be held at Oakland Park from July 6 until July 16th.

FRESH country butter and eggs at lowest prices at C. N. May's grocery store, Syndicate Block.

SPRING and summer Tan Boots, for ladies, misses and children, now on sale at Powers' Shoe Store. m3-d&wtf

TO-DAY a marriage license was issued to Cortez D. Nowlin and Miss Minnie B. Jump, both of Austin township.

ESPECIAL attention given to physicians' prescriptions at C. H. Dawson's formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

ALL the popular perfumes at C. H. Dawson's Pharmacy, Main and Water streets, formerly Swearingen & Tyler's.

THE Spencer & Lehman company have just received a full line of fresh garden seeds from D. M. Ferry & Co.
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THE school of Odd Fellows at Argenta opened to-day. Henry A. Strong of Vandalia, deputy grand master, is the instructor.

E. GENSBULEITER, liveryman Pittsburg, Pa., cured a valuable horse of influenza by using Salvation Oil on him for a few days.

FOR a good lunch call at the Star lunch room, 107 South Main street, Decatur, Ill. N. B. Mayer, proprietor, open day and night. mar14-d5t

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co, 243 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

LECTURE to-night at the Presbyterian church by Prof. Morrow, of Champaign, on "The World's Fair and How to See It" No charge at the door.

THE president of the Illinois College at Jacksonville, Dr. J. E. Bradley, visited the Decatur schools yesterday, speaking at the High School and at the Warren street school.

TO-NIGHT at the Congregational church Rev. Brobst will preach on "Man Masquerading," and E. G. Carter, of Jacksonville, will lead the singing. All are cordially invited.

MRS. J. WATSON, 1022 Arizona street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes: "I think Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a splendid remedy. I had to cough night and day, and one bottle relieved me wonderfully.

MISS McCOY, of the firm of Sawyer & McCoy, has returned from a business trip in the east, where she selected a large and elegant line of millinery goods; also a number of fine patterns for our Easter Opening, which will occur March 28, 29, and 30. 11-d1w

LAST evening in the county court in the estate of C. B. Prescott, deceased, on petition of the widow, Mrs. Adele Prescott, Judge Nelson appointed Allen T. Whitsel administrator. The estate consists of the homestead property on South Union street and personal property valued at $18,000. The bond is $36,000.

THE Republicans of Macon township have made the following nominations: Supervisor, O. H. Draper; clerk, E. L. Hight; assessor, T. J. Fleming; collector, M. D. Alexander; justices of the peace, A. Daggett and M. Giblin; constables, W. M. Willoughby and John Coombe; highway commissioner, Wm. Johnson.

THE contract for the new iron bridge in Blue Mound township over Mosquito creek was let Monday to the Columbus Bridge company of Columbus, Ohio, represented by George F. Barnard of Decatur. The lowest bid was $1373 for the entire work. Supervisors Cope and Singleton and Commissioners Moffett and Dailey let the contract. The bridge is to be completed by June 1st of the present year.

Postponed Sale.

On account of the weather B. F. Pickrell, of Lanesville, Ill., has postponed his sale of pure-bred grade and Clydesdale horses from the 8th to the 16th of March, 1893. B. F. PICKRELL.
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SUPERVISORS IN SESSION.

First Meeting of the Board in the New Court House.

The March meeting of the Macon county board of supervisors convened this afternoon in the supervisors' room on the third floor in the new court house, a REPUBLICAN reporter being present to make note of the historical fact. Chairman May presided, and County Clerk Hardy was at his desk. All of the members of the board were present: J. B. Nowlin, of Austin; W. P. Sleeter, of Blue Mound; H. F. May, A. H. Cope, Thomas Quinn, W. H. Starr, Conrad Ammann, Hiram Johnson, Huston Singleton, of Decatur; H. C. Griffin, of Friends Creek; W. L. Whitley, of Harristown; V. Barber, of Hickory; E. J. Roberts, of Illini; S. C. Davis, of Long Creek; J. H. Parker, of Maroa; Archie Dickson, of Milam; D. C. Davidson, of Mt. Zion; J. A. Cussins, Niantic; W. C. Burley, of Oakley; W. H. Bean, of Pleasant View; O. H. Draper of Macon; J. H. Miller, of Wheatland, and C. H. Garver, of Whitmore.

The first business to receive attention was to read the proceedings of the December meeting, and then bills were referred to the various standing committees.

The gentlemen of the board stepped into the spring-back chairs gracefully, and found places for their hats and overcoats on the polished desks in front. The room is well lighted and is fully large enough for the members of the board, but there is little provision made for spectators. Probably twenty people could be accommodated.

The supervisors generally are very well pleased with the new building. Here and there they make a criticism about the placing of doors and counters. Possibly changes will be made to suit the conveniences of the officials and the general public.

The board will be in session all week.

BENDER WANTS TO DIE.

Domestic Trouble Made Him Desperate—Took Morphine.

D. H. Bender, who last night applied to the police for assistance in locating his wife, who he claimed from evidence in his possession had taken up with one Joe Rugge, to-day concluded that his woes had reached that magnitude where life ceased to be desirable, and he proceeded to end it. He was stopping at Marrs', on North Edward street, north of the P., D. & E. railway track, and at about 10:30 o'clock took two grains of morphine. As soon as it was discovered that he had taken the narcotic, Dr. Tobey, county physician, was sent for. The doctor arrived about 11 o'clock, and found Bender pretty thoroughly narcoticed. He was limp and unconscious. The proper antidotes were speedily administered, which were supplemented by the physical measures necessary in such cases, and finally the dangerous effects of the poison were overcome and at last reports the jilted husband was in a fair way to recover. Bender is a farmer, and was in the act of moving from Harristown to Sangamon when his misfortunes befel him.

U. B Revival.

A good congregation greeted Rev. G. K. Little last night at the U. B. Church, who selected as his text 2nd Cor. 13th chapter and a part of the fifth verse, "Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith." Rev. Little insisted upon a personal examination for the purpose of knowing whether their faith was in God or not. He exhorted the church in a most earnest manner to become more and more consecrated to the work. One was forward to the altar desiring a clearer evidence of acceptance with God and one arose for prayer. There will be a meeting to-night, commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

Club Election.

The members of the Calumet Club will elect officers to-day from 4 to 9 p. m., when the polls will be open in the club room. The printed ticket of the candidates bear these names: For President, John S. Bixby, Breck Irwin; Vice President, John H. McCoy; Secretary and Treasurer, Joe Housum; Directory, (six to be elected), W. H. Curran, Frank Dodd, Harry Shlandeman, C. W. Dawson, Will A. Hammer, C. L. Griswold, jr., Dr. T. S. Childs, F. B. Mueller, Harry Metz, K. H. Roby, Jr., J. Frank Davis, F. H. Pahmeyer, L. F. Martin, C. C. Leforgee, G. O. McKenzie.

"Fogg's Ferry" To-Night.

The ever-welcome Eunice Goodrich company gave "The Black Flag" at the Grand last night in a capital manner, to standing room only. It was the largest first night audience ever seen in the hall. The play pleased everybody. Miss Goodrich was the favorite. She had good support. Little Theodora as *Tot* made a hit in song and dance.

To-night the play will be "Fogg's Ferry." Don't miss it. Prices—10, 20 and 30 cents

Jerry Still In It.

A telegram from Washington states that to a deputation of congressmen who waited on him to make inquiries on the subject, President Cleveland said the report about his decision not to appoint newspaper men to office was erroneous. He had no intention to discriminate against newspaper men.

A March Blizzard.

The blizzard in the northwest yesterday and last night has given the residents of this locality another taste of winter. There was a drop of 25 degrees last night, accompanied by a cutting wind and some snow. Milder temperature is promised.

Death of Laura Trester.

Miss Laura M., the 15-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trester, died last night at 12 o'clock at the home of her parents, 1442 North Calhoun street, of lung fever. The time of the funeral has not been set.

Our Glassware Sale

embraces all grades of *Glass Tumblers*, as well as the *finest line of Cut Glass in the city*—25 styles Tumblers at from 60 to 80 cents a dozen, worth $1.00 and $2.00 a dozen. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Will Close.

The Public Library will be closed Wednesday from 12 to 6 p. m., on account of the funeral of C. M. Barnes, son of Dr. W. A. Barnes, who is president of the library board.

THE thanks of Mr. and Mrs. Will Schwartz are returned to their neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy during their bereavement.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Passy Hoskins is on the sick list.

C. L. Haydon, of St. Louis, is in the city.

Breck Irwin is in Pana to-day on business.

Miss Belle Burrows is confined to her home by sickness.

J. L. Thayer is in Champaign this week on business.

L. N. Cope returned to-day from a business trip to Bement.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shellabarger have returned from Chicago.

Dr. Connelly, of Harristown, is in the city to-day on business.

Dr. W. M. Catto visited Cerro Gordo to-day on professional business.

Mrs. M. H. Farmer has returned from a visit with relatives at Virden.

Mrs. Jennie Sanders is in Chicago to note the latest dressmaking styles.

Edward Harpstrite and E. J. Harpstrite have returned from Omaha, Neb.

Mrs. W. H. Addis, who has been seriously ill for nearly two months, is convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Underwood, of Warrensburg, were in the city to-day en route to Lintner.

Mrs. John Freeman, of Moweaqua, is in the city visiting her son, John B. Freeman and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Nesbit and son returned to-day from a visit with relatives at Mechanicsburg.

Rev. T. D. Weems was in the city yesterday, having come up from Moweaqua to see his two grand children.

W. B. Breslo, superintendent of the Pacific Express company, left to-day for Holland, Mich., on business.

J. S. Goodrich, superintendent of the middle division of the Wabash railroad, was here to-day on business.

Ed Ackerman, of Pensacola, Fla., arrived in the city this morning to visit his brothers, Sam and Lou Ackerman.

Herbert C. Eldridge, son of Mrs. E. R. Eldridge, has been elected cashier of the First National Bank at Gainesville, Tex.

Mrs. W. B. Chambers arrived home today from a visit at the city of Mexico. Dr. W. A. Barnes and Mrs. Stanton will arrive home to-night.

J. W. and J. B. Fritz have returned from their trip through the west and southwest. They visited in Kansas and the Indian Territory.

Ed Mattes and Eli P. Dawson visited Occidental Lodge No. 163, A. F. and A. Masons, in St. Louis last evening, returning home to-day.

Henry Mathews left last night for Dayton, Ohio, to meet his brother, Lieut. Clarence Mathews, U. S. N. Lieutenant Mathews has been on duty at Pittsburg, Pa., as an inspector of steel being made for the navy. Having finished his duties there he has now been assigned to duty on the cruiser, New York, and in a few days will go on board that vessel.

TRIAL IN NEW COURT HOUSE

Judge Nelson Adjourns a Case to the New Court House and Takes Possession.

The suit of Miss Kate Griffin, of Dalton City, against D. Patterson, conservator of Pat Griffin, who is now in the insane asylum at Kankakee, was on trial before Judge Nelson yesterday afternoon in his small quarters in the old county court room. There was a jury of twelve men, many witnesses, and others for whom the case had something of interest. The little room was crowded to suffocation, when along came a supervisor, who, seeing the uncomfortable state of things, suggested to Judge Nelson that the furniture had been placed in the new room set off for the county court, and that he saw no reason why the new room could not be occupied. This was enough. Judge Nelson immediately moved clients, lawyers, witnesses, jury, Thomas C. Hardy, who was acting as clerk, Bailiff Samuel Weitsel, who was acting as sheriff, and spectators, to the new room in the new court house, and thus Judge W. E. Nelson opened the first case in the new court house. The new room is an elegant one and all present are well pleased with the change.

The lawyers in the case were Felix D. McAvoy, of Jacksonville, and David Hutchinson, of Decatur, for plaintiff, and A. G. Webber, of Decatur, for the defense. The jurymen were: Stephen Peake, James Durfee, Edward Leech, Joseph S. Hewes, John Gogerty, I. W. Ehrman, R. T. Williams, John R. Williams, David Moffitt, David Hanks and Hiram Johnson.

The trial of the case was concluded today, when the plaintiff was awarded $832, not counting $20 which had been advanced by Conservator Patterson.

May Camp in Chicago.

The feasibility of holding the next annual encampment of the Illinois National Guard in Chicago is being considered. In view of the fact that the World's Fair will be in progress next summer the country regiments are naturally desirous of going there, and the authorities are disposed to gratify them if it can be done without too much expense and without detriment to the service. A proposition of a four days' encampment is being considered. Adjt.-Gen. Orendorf has been figuring carefully on estimates for the next two years, and has concluded to ask for an appropriation of only $240,000 and this notwithstanding the fact that the military force has been increased by the admission to it of another regiment, the Hibernian rifles. The appropriation for the last two years was $265,000. This was exhausted and there is an existing deficiency of $12,500 to be provided for.

Sales of Real Estate.

James Geddes to Henry P. Pistorius, deed to 20 acres in 23, 15, 1 east—$5200.

H. H. Wise to W. Cartwright, deed to tract of land in 6, 14, 1 east—$25.

Wesley Cartwright to John C. Sprague, deed to tract of land in 6, 14, 1 east—$325.

Barbara Wagoner et al to Leonard Wagoner, deed to 82.76 acres in 6, 16, 4 east—$4920.

Hiram Phillips to J. W. Eller, the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, also east half of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, also the northeast quarter of the southwest all in 16, 16 4, east—$9,000

J. R. Garriott to O. M. Cannon, lot 3, 4 and 5, in block 6, in village of Harristown—$500.

DIED, at her home, two miles east of Rochester, Saturday, March 11, Margaret, wife of James Richardson, aged 53 years. Margaret Nesbitt was born in Decatur, Feb. 28, 1840. On Jan. 3, 1867, she was married to James Richardson. Six children have blessed their union, all of which are living. There names are Mrs. Jennie Turley, Mary Richardson, Thomas, James, Samuel and Bennett Richardson.

THE officers of the Macon Canning Factory company are O. H. Draper, president; John Zollars, vice-president; J. L. Hight, treasurer; George L. Hight, secretary; John Montgomery, William Catherwood, Robert Bivans, S. Giles and Will Brooks, directors.

AFTER THE OFFICES.

A List Which Indicates that There Are a Few Patriots Left.

The Chicago *Tribune* to-day gives a long list of the names of Illinois applicants for office. The roll shows the following from some of the towns in Central Illinois:

Bloomington—For postoffice, Ex-Representative John Eddy and John J. Pitts; for Internal Revenue Collector, Owen Scott and Miles Brooke; Deputy Collector, James F. O'Donnell. Lee Harvey, a locomotive engineer, wants to be inspector of materials for public buildings. Dr. J. A. McKinzie, of Leroy, this county, cousin of Adlai E Stevenson, is after the Superintendency of the Insane Asylum at Jacksonville. Jas. Stevenson Ewing would accept a position as Judge of a United States District Court or a place on the Supreme bench.

Champaign—Postoffice, Thomas Kent, George L. Maxwell, Isaac Fielding, A. M. Scott; United States Consul, Francis O'Neil, E. F. Powers, R. B. Condit.

Danville—For postoffice, Mayor John Beard, George R. Tilton, Harper Daniels, W. A. Connelly, B. E. Bandy, Guy McDowell and J. M. Dougherty. Dr. P. H. Borton would like to be Consul to Cork.

Decatur—W. E. Nelson, County Judge, wants to be Assistant Attorney General. Postoffice applicants: Jerry Donahue, Isaac W. Ehrman, S. S. Jack, Harry C. Scanlan, John R. Miller, Maj. Williams; Consul at Dundee, Scotland, Geo. Johnston; Consul at Dresden, William Voorhies, Jr., C. A. Ewing, cousin of the Vice President, is believed to be slated for some high position.

Jacksonville—For postoffice, James Stevenson, Hezekiah Craig, Leonard W. Chambers, Charles B. Lewis. National Live Stock Inspector, D. A. Mahoney.

Litchfield—E. Southworth wants an Auditorship in the Treasury Department; Charles Brandon, postoffice; W. S. Bridges of Carlinville, Pension Bureau.

Mattoon—James L Scott, J. J. Beal, Adolph Summerlin, applicants for postoffice; John Hall, Ivan Summerlin, W. T. Mason, applicants for anything in sight; James W. Craig and Judge Phipps, any vacant judicial position.

Pana—For Postmaster, Jacob Swallow, Thomas Downey and Almie McMillen.

Paris—For Postoffice, L. A. Gody Shoaff Thomas E. Garner, ex-Postmaster George Y. Hurst, Henry Rudy, William Hunter Jr., John O. Burget.

Shelbyville—For Postoffice, George W. Keeler, Luther M. Embry and Capt. Henry L. Hart; for District Judge of Alaska, Treeman E. Ames; for Deputy United States Marshall for Southern Illinois, Lafayette Higginbotham.

Springfield—For Commissioner of Pensions, Gen. John A. McClernand; United States District Attorney, Ex-Senator William E. Schutt; Collector Internal Revenue, Harris Hickox and Gen. John A McClernand: Postmaster, Reddick M. Ridgely, John O. Rames, Charles A. Keyes, Editor T W. S. Kidd of the *Monitor*, and Editor H. W. Clendenin of the *Register*; United States Circuit Judge to succeed Judge Gresham Judge W. J. Allen; United States District Judge to succeed Allen, John Mayo Palmer; Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Edward L. Merritt. In addition a number of ambitious gentlemen have confidentially communicated to their townsmen, Senator Palmer and Congressman Springer, their readiness to accept Consulships and other easy places, but have not made their expectations known to the public.

Taylorville—For postoffice, C. N. Walls, Ed McCaskill and Charles A. Morrison. James B. Ricks wants a consulship.

Tuscola—Col. W. B. Brinton, United States Marshall of the southern district; W. B. Chandler, inspector of Indian agencies; James Walling, inspector of government timber; Col. W. Taggart, grain inspector; P. C. Sloan, Charles W. Wilson, Thomas MacIlvane and Robert Cox are after the postoffice.

List of Patents.

Granted to Illinois inventors this week reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and foreign patents, opposite U. S. patent office, Washington, D. C.: D. Bruno, Avondale, tramel point; W. I. Bunker, La Grange, gearing; G. N. Einsele and G. W. De Grasse, Crete, automatic railway switch; J. Fernald, Wellington, tile machine and cutter; C. H. Gerrard, plow; E. E. Hills, Dixon, type-writing machine; G. B. Kelley, Rockford, burnishing machine; H. McPherson, Crete, hay rake and loader; W. F. Modes, Streator, glass-tank furnace; J. Munton, Maywood, manufacturing car couplings; J. F. Palmer, Riverside, fabric; J. F. Platt, Sterling, disk harrow; B. T. Scott, Milford, cultivator; W. A. Shepard, Elgin, combined inhaler and spirometer; C. G. Van Alstine, Rockford, pitch board; J. R. Watts, Springfield, bracket for miners' lamps.

An Unknown Poisoner's Deadly Work.

MADISON, Ind, March 15.—Albert Ross died yesterday afternoon, the third victim of the unknown poisoner whose work has been directed against the family of Mrs Clarkson. Eva Ross died last Monday; Mrs. Clarkson, her mother, died Thursday, and Albert, her brother, died yesterday. All had the same symptoms In the stomach of each one arsenic was found in deadly quantity.

The question that now agitates the community is, "Who is the murderer and how was the poison administered?" The facts, as far as they have been disclosed, point to Eva as a suicide and the post-mortem slayer of her mother and brother. Eva was 19 years old. Her lot was a hard one, and she was discontented. She is known to have purchased arsenic March 5.

Snow-Bound.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., March 14.—Another blizzard struck Superior yesterday morning. There was less wind and the temperature was more moderate than under the two other recent storms, but the snow was heavy and packed hard as it fell. By noon electric cars had stopped running. The storm came up so suddenly that cars are stalled all along the lines. Trains are generally three or four hours late. Last night the wind had gone down and very little snow was falling.

QUEEN VICTORIA, in her youth, was very fond of archery.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MODERN WOODMEN

The regular meeting of Easterly Camp, 1628, M. W. of A., will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall on East Main street to-morrow, Wednesday, evening, March 15, 1893. Twenty candidates at least are expected. All visiting neighbors are cordially invited to attend.
J. H. KINGSLEY, V. C.
J. M. DAVENPORT, Clerk.

MASONIC.

Special Convocation of Macon chapter, No. 21, R. A. Masons, this (Tuesday) evening at 7 o'clock sharp for work in Royal Arch degree.
A. M. WERNER, H. P.
N. L. KRONE, Rec.

DR PRICE'S
Cream Baking Powder.
The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.
Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

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100 DOZ. MEN'S SILK BOWS,
AT 25c,
Worth 50c.

37 DOZEN MEN'S EXTRA FINE MOCO DRIVING AND WALKING GLOVES
At $1.49 Pair,
Never sold less than $2.00.

100 Doz. Men's Balbriggan Underwear, Satin Trimmed, Extra Fine Quality, in all the best Colors--Special for this week,
❋33c EACH, OR SUIT FOR 65c.❋
Never retail for less than 60c--or Suit for $1.15.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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CHICAGO, Ill. March 14, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Jan	....	....	....	....
Mar	73	73¾	72¾	72¾
May	76½	77	75¾	76
July	73	73	72⅝	72¾
CORN—				
Jan	....	....	....	....
Mar	41¾	41¾	41⅜	41⅜
May	44	44	43¾	43¾
July	44¼	44¼	44	44¼
OATS—				
Mar	30⅝	30⅝	30½	30½
May	33	33	32⅞	32⅞
July	....	....	....	....
PORK—				
Dec	....	....	....	....
May	17 75	17 75	17 30	17 37
July	....	....	....	....
LARD—				
May	12 10	12 10	11 90	11 95
July	....	....	....	....
RIBS—				
May	10 30	10 30	10 00	10 15
July	....	....	....	....

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 275, Contract, 74.
Corn, all grades, 165, Contract, 22.
Oats, all grades 131, Contract, 15

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 10,000; 10 higher.
Cattle 4,500; strong.

Wheat declined ½c, corn and oats closing about the same as yesterday. Wheat very soggy. Clique still holding May up. Commission houses advise not to trade in that month.

Puts on May wheat........................75½-⅛
Calls " " " 77
Puts " " corn..............................43⅝
Calls " " " 43⅞

Curb, wheat 76½, corn 43¾.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 180, Corn, 134, Oats, 108.
Hogs 15,000.

LOGAN LETTER.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following F. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire:

CHICAGO, Ill., March 14, 1893.

The wheat market to-day has been much more active than for several days past. May opened 76½, sold at 77, as low as 75¾ and closed at 76S. July is strong as compared with May. Manipulation, no doubt, can put prices higher, but unless we have serious damage to the growing crop or unusually late spring seeding it will be hard work to advance May over any future month. Damage to the crop means higher prices for July. Cables are dull the present demand being supplied independent of the Atlantic seaports.

The prominent feature in the corn pit has been the liberal selling by provision houses and the absence of buying orders from the outside or locally. We regard the market as weak.

Oats are heavy with little speculative interest in them.

The provision market is about as nervous as it can be. The trade is light with stocks unusually short. One feature of the trade is the demand for meats and lard from interior points where packers usually have a surplus to ship.

MARRIED.

At his office, March 13, by W. L. Hammer, J. P., John L. Canaday of Decatur and Miss Lenora B. Linn of Sullivan.

EX-GOV. WILLIAM CUMBACK, of Indiana, is in the lecture field this winter. He discussed "The Model Husband" in Albany last week.

AN EXPLANATION

SOME of our customers have failed to understand fully the import of the tremendous reductions we have made on the C. P. Ford & Co. Ladies' Fine Shoes. These shoes are as good as any made in the country. We have 3,000 pairs of them and will not handle them after the present stock is exhausted. These shoes which have retailed regular the world over for $3 50 and $4 00, have cost $2.75, but WE NOW SELL THEM AT $2.25. Shoes of the same manufacture, machine sewed, which retailed regular at $3.00 and which job everywhere for $2.25, we are now selling at $1.75.

DO YOU ASK WHY?

Not that there is anything the matter with the shoes for there is nothing wrong with them. The only reason is that we intend to go out of this line altogether and we propose to make prices that will sell them. No lady in Decatur and no lady in the surrounding towns can afford to let this opportunity slip. They can never again buy shoes at such tremendous reduction and of such uniform good quality, and in every size and width that may be desired. Remember there are 3,000 pairs only and we want to sell as large a number of pairs as possible through our Decatur house because we want to give a benefit to all those who were our patrons in the days before we became wholesalers in Chicago.

DON'T LET THEM BEAR FALSE WITNESS.

It is probably true that every rival shoe dealer in Decatur will have something to say against these shoes now that they cannot meet the prices. It is probably true that every shoe dealer in Decatur may have something to say about the style of our advertising. What do you care? It is the goods at the prices for which you are looking and that is precisely what we are giving you.

THIS SALE TO CONTINUE TILL APRIL 1.

We have so many goods that this sale will continue to April 1. We continue our low price sale on everything in our store. We ask you to note that in some things there are substantial reductions from any prices heretofore made, for instance, Burt & Mears shoes at $1.75 per pair.

+MEN'S SHOES.+

Men's calf shoes, Goodyear hand-sewed, retail regular at $3.50 and $4, cost $2.25 we will sell you one pair or as many pairs as you want at $2.

Men's calf shoes, which retail at $3, cost $2 and $2.25; we will give you one pair or as many as you like at $1.85 per pair.

From the above you have noticed that on goods which we must close out before spring we are actually taking a loss on the retailer's cost price. We wish we could tell you this fact in a way that you would appreciate it to the extent of buying for future use if you have at present all the shoes which you need.

We continue our unheard of low prices on the James A. Banister and Burt & Mears' Shoes. We want you to buy shoes this month.

$6 FOR $4.75.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, cordovans, regularly sold at $6 and worth the money—in this sale go at $4.75.

$5.50 FOR $4.

The celebrated James A. Banister Shoes, in fine calf, all styles and sizes, our regular stock, sold by us all the year round at $5.50 and worth the money, but in this sale they go at $4.

$6.50 FOR $1.75.

The celebrated Burt & Mears' Shoes, hand-made and hand-sewed, sold regularly at $6.50. We have only sizes 5½, 6, 6½, 9½, 10 and 11. If we can fit you, you may have a pair at $1.75. Sizes run large; shoes in congress and button.

+FERRISS & LAPHAM,+
148 East Main Street.